

## FIFTEENTH DAY

(Wednesday, October 20, 1937)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Calvert.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker	Harris of Dickens
Adkins	Hartzog
Alexander	Heflin
Alsup	Herzik
Amos	Holland
Anderson	Hoskins
Baker	Howard
Bates	Huddleston
Beckworth	Hull
Bell	Hyder
Blankenship	Jackson
Boethel	Johnson of Ellis
Bond	Johnson
Boyer	of Tarrant
Bradbury	Jones of Angelina
Bradford	Jones of Atascosa
Bridgers	Jones of Falls
Broadfoot	Jones of Wise
Brown	Keefe
Burton	Kelt
Cagle	Kenyon
Callan	Kern
Carssow	King
Cathey	Knetsch
Cauthorn	Langdon
Celaya	Lankford
Cleveland	Lanning
Colquitt	Leath
Davis of Haskell	Lehman
Davis of Jasper	Leonard
Davison of Fisher	Leyendecker
Davisson	Little
of Eastland	Loggins
Dean	London
Deglandon	Lucas
Derden	Mauritz
Dickison	Mays
Dollins	McConnell
Donaghey	McDonald
England	McFarland
Felty	McKee
Fielden	McKinney
Fox	Metcalf
Fuchs	Moffett
Gibson	Monkhouse
Graves	Morris
Hamilton	Morse
Hankamer	Newton
Hanna	Nicholson
Harbin	Oliver
Hardin	Palmer
Harper	Patterson of Mills
Harrell	Patterson
Harris of Archer	of Travis
Harris of Dallas	Petsch

Pope	Skaggs
Powell	Smith of Hopkins
Prescott	Smith
Quinn	of Matagorda
Ragsdale	Smith of Tarrant
Reader	Stinson
Reed of Bowie	Stocks
Reed of Dallas	Talbert
Rhodes	Tarwater
Riddle	Tennyson
Roark	Thornberry
Ross	Thornton
Rutta	Vale
Russell	Waggoner
Schuenemann	Weldon
Settle	Westbrook
Sewell	Winfree
Sharpe	Wood
Shell	Worley
Simpson	

## Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain.

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Mann for today, on account of important State business, on motion of Mr. Morse.

Mr. Farmer temporarily for today, on motion of Mr. Hamilton.

Mr. Keith for today, on motion of Mr. Waggoner.

The following Member was granted leave of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Tennant for today, on motion of Mr. Gibson.

## HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills, introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Gibson, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Leath and Mr. Wood:

H. B. No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 10, Chapter 246, Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature of Texas, providing for the forfeiture of unlawful oil and unlawful oil products, the sale thereof and the disposition of the proceeds

therefrom, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Colquitt, Mr. Hankamer and Mr. England:

H. B. No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of Seven Hundred and Ninety Thousand (790,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of any funds in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the apportionment for the period now due for the balance of the State fiscal year ending August 31, 1936, and the State fiscal year ending August 31, 1937, to all counties in which the county officers are compensated on the basis of a salary, as provided for in Section 6, Senate Bill No. 5, enacted at the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and also for the period now due the District Attorneys, Criminal District Attorneys, or County Attorneys performing the duties of District Attorneys, from January 1, 1936, to August 31, 1937, as provided in Subsection b, Section 13, of Senate Bill No. 5, enacted at the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Graves and Mr. Petsch:

H. B. No. 146, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Director of the Cigarette Tax Division of the State Comptroller's Department to designate a personal representative as supervisor of the printing and manufacturing of cigarette tax stamps; relieving the Director of the Cigarette Tax Division of the burdens of the personal supervision imposed by Section 30 of House Bill No. 755, Acts, Forty-fourth Legislature; authorizing the designation by the Director of the Cigarette Tax Division to the Stamp Tax Board of a personal representative of the Director; the employment of such representative by the Stamp Tax Board; and providing for the payment of services to be rendered by such personal representative, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Amos, Mr. Johnson of Tarrant, Mr. Smith of Tarrant and Mr. Hull:

H. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 20 of the Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature to provide for a secretary and a clerk for the County Judges in all counties having a population of not less than 195,000 and not more than 200,000 according to the last preceding Census of the United States; providing for the salary of such County Judges and authorizing the Commissioner's Court of any such county, on the application of the County Judge, to authorize such County Judge to employ such help and fixing a salary of such employees to be paid out of the General Fund of the county, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Felty and Mr. Reader:

H. B. No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 19 (f) of Article 3912e, and being Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Chapter 465, page 1762, to make adequate provision for the compensation of Court Reporters appointed by the District or Criminal District Attorney in any county having a population in excess of one hundred ninety thousand (190,000), according to the last preceding Federal Census, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

By Mr. Petsch, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Cauthorn, Mr. Hankamer, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Howard and Mr. Fox:

H. B. No. 149, A bill to be entitled "An Act applicable in the counties of Mason, Menard, Kerr, Schleicher, Crockett, Sutton, Kimble, Real, Edwards, Blanco, Llano, Kendall, Gillespie, El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Val Verde, Kinney, Maverick, Terrell, Brewster, Harris and Burnet of the State of Texas, requiring a hunting license of any resident citizen of the State hunting in any of said counties with certain exemptions; requiring a fishing license of all persons residing in the State of Texas and fishing in said counties or in any stream forming a part of the boundary line of any of said counties and for such distance as such stream forms a part of the boundary of any of the afore-

mentioned counties; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Kelt:

H. B. No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act to constitute Frank Neal Drane and others, and his and their associates and successors, administrators, executors and trustees, and their successors, into a perpetual non-profit Body Corporate, to be known as and called 'Florence Adelia-Dorothy Anderson Drane Community Foundation, of Corsicana, Texas', referred to herein as Foundation, with its domicile in Navarro County, Texas, the purpose of which is to promote the well being of mankind primarily in Navarro County, Texas, but contingently elsewhere in Texas, by aiding benevolent, charitable religious and educational causes and institutions, and promoting national defense and world peace, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

#### ADDITIONAL SIGNERS OF BILLS

By unanimous consent of the House, the following Members were authorized to sign bills as co-authors of same, as follows:

Mr. Fielden, House Bill No. 117.

Mr. England, House Bill No. 145.

Mr. Hankamer, House Bills Nos. 122 and 145.

Mr. Newton, House Bill No. 93

Mr. Lehman, House Bill No. 122.

Mr. Leonard, House Bill No. 145.

#### RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 124

By unanimous consent of the House, the following amendment, by Mr. Thornton, was offered to House Bill No. 124:

Amend House Bill No. 124, by inserting at the proper place in the bill and caption, "as amended by Chapter 305, Forty-first Legislature, page 684, Paragraph 1, as amended by Senate Bill No. 84, Section 1, Acts, 1937, Forty-fifth Legislature."

The amendment was adopted.

#### RELATIVE TO GRASS FIRES ON HIGHWAYS

Mr. Bradbury offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 32, Relative to grass fires on highways.

Whereas, The State Highway Department in maintaining the right-of-way in different places over the State have, in some instances, allowed fire to spread uncontrolled which has caused a large amount of fence to be destroyed and hundreds of acres of grass to be burned, which is a detriment and loss to the farmers and ranchers of this State; and

Whereas, It appears that it is unnecessary for this loss to continue; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we request the State Highway Department to consider this matter and do what they can to prevent this unnecessary destruction.

BRADBURY,  
DAVISON of Fisher.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, October 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House the Senate has passed the following:

S. B. No. 9, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing County Commissioners' Courts to lease or rent office space for the purpose of aiding and cooperating with the agencies of the State and Federal governments engaged in the administration of relief of the unemployed and needy people in the State of Texas, and to pay the regular monthly utility bills for such offices, such as lights, gas and water; to pay for such leases, rentals and utilities out of the County General Fund when in the opinion of a majority of the Commissioners' Court such is essential to a proper administration of such agencies of either the State or Federal governments; providing for the validation of all actions, proceedings, orders and contracts for such rental, lease or utility bills heretofore made by any County Commissioners' Courts; providing that if any part in this Act shall ever be held unconstitutional, such holding shall not affect

the validity of the remaining portions of the Act, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that in counties having a population of forty thousand, nine hundred and five (40,905) and not more than forty one thousand (41,000) according to the last preceding Federal Census, the County Judge may appoint a court stenographer to be called and known as the official County Court Reporter of the County Court; to define and prescribe the duties of such court reporter, and fix the compensation and tenure of office; prescribing the fund from which the salary is to be paid, and prescribing the taxing of costs in civil suits in which answer is filed, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,  
Secretary of the Senate.

REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR  
TO SUBMIT CERTAIN  
SUBJECT

Mr. Derden offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 34, Requesting the Governor to submit certain subject.

Whereas, Senate Bill No. 5, passed and approved by the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, provided that counties in excess of 20,000 population should receive in lieu of other compensation theretofore received by them from the State a per capita allowance of 14c per annum, based on the 1930 census; which said statute by reason of their population affected 84 counties in the State of Texas; and

Whereas, Insufficient funds have been appropriated by the State of Texas to pay said per capita allotment during the years 1936 and 1937; and

Whereas, By virtue of said statute certain district attorneys, criminal district attorneys, and county attorneys discharging the duties of district attorneys, in lieu of fees previously paid such officers by the State, became entitled to receive certain appropriations from the State based upon the earnings and expenses of their respective offices, which statute affected 33 counties in the State of Texas; and

Whereas, There has not been appropriated by the Legislature of the

State of Texas any sum provided by said statute for the payment of said officers during the years 1936 and 1937; and

Whereas, Said revenue having been pledged by the Forty-fourth Legislature of the State of Texas and anticipated by said counties and set up in their budgets, the failure to receive said appropriations from the State have, and will continue to seriously imperil the financial structure of the counties affected by said statute; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That the Governor be, and he is, hereby petitioned to submit under his call at this session of the Legislature the question of making appropriations sufficient to pay the salary deficiencies to said officers for the years 1936 and 1937 and for payment of the salary of said officers for the current biennium.

DERDEN,  
RUSSELL,  
JONES of Falls,  
HOSKINS.

The resolution was read second time.

Question recurring on the resolution, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—93

Adkins	Gibson
Alsup	Hamilton
Amos	Hankamer
Anderson	Hanna
Baker	Harbin
Beckworth	Harper
Blankenship	Harrell
Boethel	Harris of Dallas
Bond	Harris of Dickens
Boyer	Hartzog
Bradbury	Herzik
Bradford	Hoskins
Brown	Howard
Cagle	Huddleston
Carssow	Hull
Cathey	Hyder
Celaya	Jackson
Davis of Jasper	Johnson of Ellis
Dean	Johnson
Derden	of Tarrant
Dickison	Jones of Atascosa
Dollins	Jones of Falls
Donaghey	Kelt
England	Lankford
Felty	Knetsch
Fielden	Lanning
Fox	Leath
Fuchs	Lehman

Leyendecker	Schuenemann
Little	Settle
Loggins	Sharpe
Lucas	Shell
Mays	Simpson
McConnell	Skaggs
Moffett	Smith
Monkhouse	of Matagorda
Morris	Smith of Tarrant
Newton	Stinson
Oliver	Stocks
Pope	Tennyson
Prescott	Thornton
Ragsdale	Vale
Reed of Bowie	Waggoner
Reed of Dallas	Westbrook
Rhodes	Winfree
Riddle	Wood
Ross	Worley
Russell	

Nays—30

Bates	McKee
Bell	Morse
Cauthorn	Nicholson
Cleveland	Palmer
Davison of Fisher	Patterson of Mills
Graves	Patterson
Harris of Archer	of Travis
Heflin	Petsch
Jones of Angelina	Powell
Jones of Wise	Quinn
Keefe	Reader
Kern	Roark
King	Smith of Hopkins
Langdon	Tarwater
Mauritz	Thornberry
McFarland	

Present—Not Voting

Deglandon

Absent

Alexander	Leonard
Bridgers	London
Broadfoot	McDonald
Burton	McKinney
Callan	Metcalf
Colquitt	Rutta
Davis of Haskell	Sewell
Hardin	Talbert
Holland	Weldon
Kenyon	

Absent—Excused

Davison	Mann
of Eastland	Stevenson
Farmer	Tennant
Keith	

Mr. Jones of Atascosa moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

### TO PROVIDE FOR THE PURCHASE OF CERTAIN PORTRAIT

Mr. Leonard offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 33, To provide for the purchase of certain portrait of Honorable James H. Raymond.

Whereas, The Honorable James H. Raymond served as the last Treasurer of the Republic of Texas from February 24, 1846 to August 2, 1858; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Legislature of Texas to honor its early public officials; and

Whereas, There is now existing in the hands of Mrs. Raymond Johnson of Pharr, Texas, a painting of the Honorable James H. Raymond, which is the work of the late W. H. Huddle, who painted the portrait of Sam Houston, which now hangs in the Hall of the House of Representatives, and other well known paintings; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That said portrait be purchased at a cost not to exceed Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, which sum shall be paid out of the Contingent Expense Fund of the Second Called Session, Forty-fifth Legislature, with a warrant regularly drawn and signed; and, be it further

Resolved, That upon its purchase said portrait shall be hung at some place in the Capitol building, suitable to the Board of Control.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Hanna moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Mays moved to table the resolution.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—91

Adkins	Burton
Alexander	Cagle
Alsup	Cathey
Amos	Cleveland
Baker	Davis of Jasper
Beckworth	Davison of Fisher
Blankenship	Deglandon
Bond	Derden
Bradford	Dickison
Bridgers	Donaghey
Brown	England

Felty	McKee
Fielden	Metcalfe
Fox	Moffett
Fuchs	Morris
Gibson	Newton
Hamilton	Nicholson
Hanna	Oliver
Harbin	Palmer
Harper	Patterson of Mills
Harrell	Pope
Harris of Archer	Powell
Harris of Dallas	Prescott
Herzik	Quinn
Huddleston	Ragsdale
Johnson of Ellis	Reed of Bowie
Johnson	Reed of Dallas
of Tarrant	Riddle
Jones of Angelina	Roark
Jones of Falls	Russell
Jones of Wise	Sharpe
Kelt	Skaggs
Kenyon	Smith of Hopkins
Kern	Smith
King	of Matagorda
Knetsch	Smith of Tarrant
Langdon	Stinson
Lankford	Talbert
Lanning	Tarwater
Leath	Tennyson
Lehman	Thornton
Little	Weldon
London	Westbrook
Lucas	Winfree
Mauritz	Wood
Mays	Worley
McFarland	

## Nays—35

Anderson	Jones of Atascosa
Bates	Leonard
Bell	Leyendecker
Boethel	Loggins
Boyer	McConnell
Bradbury	McKinney
Carssow	Monkhouse
Cauthorn	Morse
Celaya	Patterson
Dean	of Travis
Harris of Dickens	Reader
Heflin	Ross
Holland	Settle
Hoskins	Simpson
Howard	Stocks
Hull	Thornberry
Hyder	Vale
Jackson	Waggoner

## Absent

Broadfoot	Graves
Callan	Hankamer
Colquitt	Hardin
Davis of Haskell	Hartzog
Dollins	Keefe
Farmer	McDonald

Petsch	Schuenemann
Rhodes	Sewell
Rutta	Shell

## Absent—Excused

Davisson	Mann
of Eastland	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant

### CONCERNING EXPENSE ACCOUNTS OF MEMBERS

Mr. Anderson offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 40, Concerning expense accounts of Members.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the Chairman of the Contingent Expense Committee be permitted to use his discretion in allowing Members additional expenses when said Members have used more than Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

### TO URGE THE OBSERVATION OF ECONOMY IN PURCHASE OF STATE EQUIPMENT

Mr. Graves offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 41, Requesting officers and employees to observe economy in State purchases.

On account of the fact that the State of Texas is in need of extra funds at this time with which to meet the current expenses of government, as well as the payment of old age pensions as well as other portions of the social security program voted by the people at the recent elections, it would seem best that all governmental affairs should be administered upon an economical basis, and only needed expenditures be made upon an economical and intelligent basis; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the officers and employees of this State be instructed to observe economy in their request for the purchases of needed equipment, and the Board of Control of this State is instructed to purchase only needed equipment of a serviceable grade, and that it observe a strict economy in such purchases, having in view the financial conditions of the State at all times.

GRAVES,  
METCALFE.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

# MEMORIALIZING CONGRESS IN REGARD TO CERTAIN LEGISLATION

Mr. Ragsdale offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 46, Memorializing Congress in regard to certain legislation.

Whereas, Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States, has issued call for Special Session of the Congress to convene November 15, 1937, for the purpose of enacting agricultural legislation; and

Whereas, Texas is one of the leading agricultural States of the nation, producing a variety of agricultural crops and livestock; and

Whereas, The happiness and prosperity of the citizenship of Texas will be vitally affected by the agricultural legislation passed by Congress; and

Whereas, The existing tariff laws impose a hardship on the farmer, by virtue of the fact that he is forced to buy industrial products in a protected market while he is left to sell his agricultural products in an unprotected market; and

Whereas, The Legislature of Texas now assembled in Special Session recognizes the plight of the farmer; that, it is imperative to the welfare of the farmer that the Federal Government enact legislation of a permanent nature that will offer the same advantage to the farmer as has been enjoyed by American industry for the past one hundred years, and for the welfare of the nation as a whole, agriculture must be placed upon an equal basis of opportunity with industry and labor; and

Whereas, Previous cotton programs have caused hardships to many small producers, it is necessary that Congress establish a minimum production base for all small cotton producers having heretofore produced cotton, taking into consideration family requirements from this cash crop.

Whereas, It is believed this solution to our agricultural problems can be found in legislation that will pay a parity payment to the farmer on that portion of his crop which is domestically consumed equal to the difference between the world price and the parity price, or that which would be equal to the difference afforded to industry by the present tariff; and

Whereas, The agricultural interests and leaders of the United States vary widely in their opinions of a solution,

because of the different kinds of farm products produced, resulting in many different suggestions as to crop control and parity payments; and

Whereas, It is believed that our National Congress is composed of men who can and will take a view of the agricultural problems for the United States as a whole and take from the suggestions offered them the provisions necessary to set up crop control and parity payment laws which will accomplish the solution sought and solve the problem in a permanent manner that will be equitable to all phases of agriculture, and to industry; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Congress of the United States be, and is herein urged to enact farm legislation, during the ensuing Special Session, of a permanent nature that will seek to adjust the economic differences between American industry and American agriculture now existing because of the tariff, and, in order that each farmer may be allotted his equitable prorata in the American market, upon which portion he will receive a parity price or a price for his agricultural products domestically consumed, which price will be on a level with the price of the manufactured products and service the farmer buys, and which will leave each farmer his own judge as to how much he produces in excess of a prorata to be sold in world markets; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the President of the United States, Senator Ellison D. Smith, Chairman of the Senate Agricultural Committee, Congressman Marvin Jones, Chairman of the House Agricultural Committee, and to each Texas Senator and Congressman.

RAGSDALE,  
FUCHS,  
TARWATER,  
HARRIS of Dickens,  
DOLLINS,  
HARRIS of Archer,  
MOFFETT,  
ALEXANDER,  
HERZIK,  
BOETHEL,  
SHELL,  
POWELL,  
KELT,  
RUSSELL,  
HARRELL,  
WORLEY,

LEHMAN,  
AMOS,  
BROADFOOT,  
OLIVER,  
JOHNSON of Ellis,  
CATHEY,  
FIELDEN.

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Calvert, Speaker; Adkins Alsop, Anderson, Baker, Bates, Beckworth, Bell, Blankenship, Bond, Boyer, Bradbury, Bradford, Bridgers, Brown, Burton, Cagle, Callan, Carssow, Cauthorn, Celaya, Cleveland, Colquitt, Davis of Haskell, Davis of Jasper, Davison of Fisher, Davisson of Eastland, Dean, Deglandon, Derden, Dickison, Donaghey, England, Farmer, Felty, Fox, Gibson, Graves, Hamilton, Hankamer, Hanna, Harbin, Hardin, Harper, Harris of Dallas, Hartzog, Heflin, Holland, Hoskins, Huddleston, Hull, Hyder, Jackson, Johnson of Tarrant, Jones of Angelina, Jones of Atascosa, Jones of Falls, Jones of Wise, Keefe, Keith, Kenyon, Kern, King, Knetsch, Langdon, Lankford, Lanning, Leath, Leonard, Leyendecker, Little, Loggins, London, Lucas, Mann, Mauritz, Mays, McConnell, McDonald, McFarland, McKee, McKinney, Metcalfe, Monkhouse, Morris, Morse, Newton, Nicholson, Palmer, Patterson of Mills, Patterson of Travis, Petsch, Pope, Powell, Prescott, Quinn, Reader, Reed of Bowie, Reed of Dallas, Rhodes, Riddle, Roark, Ross, Rutta, Schuenemann, Settle, Sewell, Sharpe, Simpson, Skaggs, Smith of Hopkins, Smith of Matagorda, Smith of Tarrant, Stevenson, Stinson, Stocks, Talbert, Tennant, Tennyson, Thornberry, Thornton, Vale, Waggoner, Weldon, Westbrook, Winfree and Wood.

Mr. Dean raised a point of order, on further consideration of the resolution, at this time, on the ground that the time allotted for the consideration of resolutions has expired.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

Mr. Morris moved that the Rule, relative to the consideration of resolutions, be suspended for the purpose of considering the above resolution, until disposed of.

The motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Bell, the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

## TO GRANT PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 4, To grant Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Brewer permission to sue the State.

Whereas, In the District Court of Angelina County, Texas, B. K. Brewer and Mrs. B. K. Brewer, as plaintiffs therein, filed suit against Angelina County; and

Whereas, The alleged cause of action grew out of the construction of a section of State Highway No. 40 in Angelina County, Texas, said plaintiffs therein claiming their property was damaged because of the construction of said highway; and

Whereas, The said B. K. Brewer and Mrs. B. K. Brewer desire to make the State of Texas and/or the State Highway Department of Texas a party to said suit in order to establish their claims and recover against the State of Texas because of the damages to said property; and

Whereas, Under the law a suit cannot be maintained against the State of Texas without the consent of the Legislature; and

Whereas, The Legislature desires to grant permission to B. K. Brewer and Mrs. B. K. Brewer to make the State of Texas and/or the State Highway Department a party to said suit, and to prosecute said suit to a final conclusion upon their claim for damages, if any they suffered, in a court of competent jurisdiction in Angelina County, Texas; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the said B. K. Brewer and Mrs. B. K. Brewer be and they are hereby granted permission to make the said State of Texas and/or the State Highway Department a party to said suit to establish their claims, if any, and recover their damages, if any, because of alleged damages to said property, in any court of competent jurisdiction in Angelina County, Texas, and that said suit shall not become barred until two (2) years from the effective date of this Act; and that service of process shall be had upon the Attorney General of the State of Texas, with the same force and effect as in civil cases; and that said suit shall be tried and determined in the trial and appellate courts according to the same rules of

law and procedure as to liability and defense of the State of Texas that would be applicable and available if such suit were brought against any private corporation as provided by the laws of this State.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, October 20, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House the Senate has adopted

S. C. R. No. 11, Expressing opposition of Texas Legislature to S. J. R. No. 208 passed at the last session of Congress.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,  
Secretary of the Senate.

#### TO GRANT PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 7, To grant Mrs. John Luttmer permission to sue the State.

Whereas, On or about the 21st day of April, A. D., 1937, one Leonard Luttmer, the seventeen (17) year old minor son of Mrs. John Luttmer, a widow, was injured by an explosion of some dynamite caps used by the Highway Department of the State of Texas, in road work to Hood, in Cooke County, Texas, about three (3) or four (4) miles southeast of Gainesville, Texas; and

Whereas, The said Leonard Luttmer injured two (2) fingers and a thumb by reason of said explosion, and which injury resulted in the amputation of two (2) fingers and a thumb from injuries incurred by reason of said explosion; and

Whereas, Such injuries are purported to be permanent; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the said Mrs. John Luttmer, a widow, acting individually and as a guardian ad litem for Leonard Luttmer, a minor, be and she is hereby granted permission to bring suit against the State of Texas and/or the State Highway Commission of the State of Texas for dam-

ages sustained by reason of injuries incurred by said Leonard Luttmer, due to purported negligence of the agents or employees of the Highway Department of the State of Texas, as hereinbefore set forth, in any court of competent jurisdiction in Cooke County, Texas, at any time within two (2) years from the date this resolution takes effect, and that such suit upon said cause of action shall be tried and determined in the trial and appellate courts according to the same rules of law and procedure as to liability and defense that would be applicable if such suit were against an ordinary Texas corporation, and that process issued in such suit may be served upon the Governor of the State of Texas, the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of the State of Texas; and, be it further

Resolved, That any judgment which may be recovered by reason of the prosecution of such suit shall be and constitute a liquidated debt and shall be paid by the Highway Commission of the State of Texas out of the State Highway funds.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

#### CONCERNING THE GROWING OF NURSERY STOCK, ETC., BY GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES

The Speaker laid before the House, as unfinished business, House Concurrent Resolution No. 43, To request governmental agencies to refrain from going into competition with private industries in regard to growing of nursery stock.

The resolution having been read second time on Monday, October 18.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

#### PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE RULES

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, House Simple Resolution No. 29, Proposing an amendment to Rule X of the House Rules.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

The Committee on Rules having recommended the adoption of the res-

olution, with the following committee amendment:

Amend House Simple Resolution No. 29 to read, as follows:

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the following be added at the end of Rule X and become a part of said Rule: "It shall not be in order for a Member to address himself to a question of privilege after any undebatable motion is offered and while it is pending."

BELL.

(Mr. Morse in the Chair.)

Mr. Moffett offered the following substitute for the committee amendment by Mr. Bell:

Amend House Rule No. 10, by adding a new paragraph to read, as follows:

"It shall not be in order for a Member to address himself on a question of privilege for more than 10 minutes."

Mr. Hardin moved to table the resolution.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—86

Adkins	Hardin
Amos	Harrell
Anderson	Harris of Archer
Bates	Harris of Dickens
Beckworth	Heflin
Blankenship	Herzik
Boethel	Howard
Bond	Huddleston
Bradbury	Hyder
Bradford	Johnson of Ellis
Bridgers	Jones of Angelina
Broadfoot	Jones of Falls
Brown	Jones of Wise
Cagle	Kern
Cathey	King
Davis of Haskell	Langdon
Davis of Jasper	Lankford
Davison of Fisher	Lanning
Davisson	Leath
of Eastland	Leonard
Dean	Leyendecker
Deglandon	Loggins
Derden	London
Dickison	Lucas
Donaghey	Mauritz
Fielden	Mays
Fox	McConnell
Hamilton	McDonald
Harbin	McKinney

Monkhouse	Rutta
Morris	Settle
Oliver	Sharpe
Palmer	Skaggs
Patterson of Mills	Smith
Powell	of Matagorda
Prescott	Stocks
Ragsdale	Talbert
Reader	Tennyson
Reed of Bowie	Thornberry
Rhodes	Waggoner
Riddle	Weldon
Roark	Westbrook
Ross	Winfree
Russell	Wood

Nays—41

Alexander	Keefe
Baker	Kelt
Bell	Kenyon
Boyer	Knetsch
Burton	McFarland
Callan	McKee
Cauthorn	Metcalfe
Colquitt	Moffett
Dollins	Newton
England	Nicholson
Graves	Patterson
Hankamer	of Travis
Hanna	Petsch
Harper	Pope
Harris of Dallas	Reed of Dallas
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Holland	Shell
Hull	Simpson
Jackson	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson	Stinson
of Tarrant	Thornton
Jones of Atascosa	

Absent

Alsup	Little
Carssow	Morse
Celaya	Quinn
Cleveland	Sewell
Felty	Smith of Tarrant
Fuchs	Tarwater
Gibson	Vale
Hoskins	Worley
Lehman	

Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

(Mr. Hull in the Chair.)

# AUTHORIZING THE TEXAS LIVE- STOCK SANITARY COMMIS- SION TO DISPOSE OF CERTAIN PROPERTY

The Chair laid before the House, for consideration at this time, House Concurrent Resolution No. 32, To authorize Texas Livestock Sanitary

Commission to dispose of certain property.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Committee on Appropriations having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

The resolution was then adopted.

#### BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED

(By unanimous consent)

On motion of Mr. Leath, House Bill No. 144 was ordered not printed.

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Knetsch called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. C. R. No. 5, To grant Walter Strickland permission to sue the State.

The Chair laid the resolution before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Knetsch, the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

(Mr. Morse in the Chair.)

#### SENATE BILL NO. 1 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 1, A bill to be entitled "An Act placing in effect Senate Joint Resolution 16 amending Article III, Section 52, of the Constitution by adding Section 52d, passed at an election held throughout the State on August 23, 1937, by providing the form and manner of initiating road plans for Harris County upon petition and by resolution of the Commissioners' Court thereof; authorizing the establishment of and the creation of road districts upon petition; prescribing in detail the procedure for such petitions, resolutions, hearings, reports of the engineer and auditor, and elections and notices thereof for the adoption of said proposed plans and the fixing of the tax rates necessary to defray the cost of construction; providing for the canvass of the returns of said elections, declaration of the results thereof, and certification of the tax rate; providing that

all laws relating to the assessment and collection of State and county, current and delinquent, be made applicable to Harris County for such tax and be made applicable to such road district, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

#### SENATE BILL NO. 1 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Winfree moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 1 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—126

Adkins	Hankamer
Alexander	Hanna
Alsup	Harbin
Amos	Hardin
Anderson	Harper
Baker	Harrell
Bates	Harris of Dallas
Bell	Harris of Dickens
Blankenship	Hartzog
Boethel	Heflin
Bond	Herzik
Boyer	Holland
Bradbury	Howard
Bradford	Hull
Bridgers	Hyder
Brown	Johnson of Ellis
Burton	Johnson
Cagle	of Tarrant
Callan	Jones of Angelina
Carssow	Jones of Falls
Cathey	Jones of Wise
Cauthorn	Keefe
Celaya	Kelt
Davis of Haskell	Kenyon
Davis of Jasper	Kern
Davison of Fisher	King
Davisson	Knetsch
of Eastland	Langdon
Dean	Lankford
Deglandon	Lanning
Derden	Leath
Dickison	Lehman
Dollins	Leonard
Donaghey	Leyendecker
England	Little
Felty	Loggins
Fielden	London
Fox	Lucas
Fuchs	Mauritz
Gibson	Mays
Graves	McConnell
Hamilton	McDonald

McFarland	Russell
McKee	Rutta
McKinney	Settle
Metcalfe	Simpson
Moffett	Skaggs
Monkhouse	Smith of Hopkins
Oliver	Smith
Palmer	of Matagorda
Patterson of Mills	Smith of Tarrant
Patterson	Stinson
of Travis	Talbert
Petsch	Tarwater
Pope	Tennyson
Powell	Thornberry
Prescott	Thornton
Quinn	Vale
Ragsdale	Waggoner
Reed of Bowie	Weldon
Reed of Dallas	Westbrook
Rhodes	Winfree
Riddle	Wood
Roark	Worley
Ross	

Nays—1

Morris

Absent

Beckworth	Morse
Broadfoot	Newton
Cleveland	Nicholson
Colquitt	Reader
Harris of Archer	Schuenemann
Hoskins	Sewell
Huddleston	Sharpe
Jackson	Shell
Jones of Atascosa	Stocks

Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 1 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—127

Adkins	Bridgers
Alexander	Burton
Alsup	Cagle
Amos	Carssow
Anderson	Callan
Baker	Cathey
Beckworth	Cauthorn
Bell	Celaya
Blankenship	Davis of Haskell
Boethel	Davis of Jasper
Bond	Davison of Fisher
Boyer	Davison
Bradford	of Eastland
Bradbury	Dean

Deglandon	Lucas
Derden	Mauritz
Dickison	Mays
Dollins	McConnell
Donaghey	McDonald
England	McFarland
Felty	McKee
Fielden	McKinney
Fox	Metcalfe
Fuchs	Moffett
Graves	Monkhouse
Hamilton	Oliver
Hankamer	Patterson of Mills
Hanna	Patterson
Harbin	of Travis
Hardin	Petsch
Harper	Pope
Harrell	Powell
Harris of Archer	Prescott
Harris of Dallas	Quinn
Harris of Dickens	Ragsdale
Hartzog	Reader
Heflin	Reed of Bowie
Herzik	Reed of Dallas
Holland	Rhodes
Howard	Riddle
Huddleston	Roark
Hull	Ross
Hyder	Russell
Jackson	Rutta
Johnson of Ellis	Schuenemann
Johnson	Settle
of Tarrant	Shell
Jones of Angelina	Simpson
Jones of Atascosa	Skaggs
Jones of Falls	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Wise	Smith
Keefe	of Matagorda
Kelt	Smith of Tarrant
Kenyon	Stinson
Kern	Talbert
King	Tarwater
Knetsch	Tennyson
Langdon	Thornberry
Lankford	Thornton
Lanning	Vale
Lehman	Weldon
Leonard	Westbrook
Levendecker	Winfree
Little	Wood
Loggins	Worley
London	

Nays—1

Morris

Absent

Bates	Morse
Broadfoot	Newton
Brown	Nicholson
Cleveland	Palmer
Colquitt	Sewell
Gibson	Sharpe
Hoskins	Stocks
Leath	Waggoner

## Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

## SENATE BILL NO. 6 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 6, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 148 of the General Laws passed by the Forty-second Legislature at its Regular Session in 1931, by adding thereto a new section to be called Section 2b legalizing, approving and validating bonds voted by any city having a population of not less than 1,525 and not more than 1,550 according to any Federal Census, and by any city having a population of not less than 4,400 and not more than 4,500 according to any Federal Census, for the purpose of park improvement in and for such city and for the levy of the tax in payment of such bonds under authority of Chapter 148 of the General Laws passed by the Forty-second Legislature at its Regular Session, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 6 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Ragsdale moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 6 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—129

Adkins	Burton
Alexander	Cagle
Alsup	Callan
Amos	Carssow
Anderson	Cathey
Baker	Cauthorn
Beckworth	Celaya
Bell	Cleveland
Blankenship	Colquitt
Boethel	Davis of Haskell
Bond	Davis of Jasper
Boyer	Davison of Fisher
Bradbury	Davisson
Bradford	of Eastland
Bridgers	Dean
Broadfoot	Deglandon
Brown	Derden

Dickison	McConnell
Dollins	McFarland
Donaghey	McKee
England	McKinney
Felty	Metcalfe
Fielden	Moffett
Fuchs	Monkhouse
Graves	Morris
Hamilton	Oliver
Hankamer	Patterson of Mills
Hanna	Patterson
Harbin	of Travis
Hardin	Petsch
Harper	Pope
Harrell	Powell
Harris of Archer	Prescott
Harris of Dallas	Quinn
Hartzog	Ragsdale
Heflin	Reader
Herzik	Reed of Bowie
Holland	Reed of Dallas
Hoskins	Rhodes
Huddleston	Riddle
Hull	Roark
Hyder	Ross
Jackson	Russell
Johnson of Ellis	Rutta
Johnson	Schuenemann
of Tarrant	Settle
Jones of Angelina	Shell
Jones of Atascosa	Simpson
Jones of Falls	Skaggs
Keefe	Smith of Hopkins
Kelt	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
King	Smith of Tarrant
Knetsch	Stinson
Langdon	Stocks
Lankford	Talbert
Lanning	Tarwater
Leath	Tennyson
Lehman	Thornberry
Leonard	Thornton
Leyendecker	Waggoner
Little	Weldon
Loggins	Westbrook
London	Winfree
Lucas	Wood
Mauritz	Worley
Mays	

## Absent

Bates	Morse
Fox	Newton
Gibson	Nicholson
Harris of Dickens	Palmer
Howard	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Sharpe
Kern	Vale
McDonald	

## Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 6 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—135

Adkins	Hoskins
Alexander	Huddleston
Alsup	Hull
Amos	Hyder
Anderson	Jackson
Baker	Johnson of Ellis
Bates	Johnson
Beckworth	of Tarrant
Bell	Jones of Angelina
Blankenship	Jones of Atascosa
Boethel	Jones of Falls
Bond	Jones of Wise
Boyer	Keefe
Bradbury	Kelt
Bradford	Kern
Bridgers	King
Broadfoot	Knetsch
Brown	Langdon
Burton	Lankford
Cagle	Lanning
Callan	Leath
Carssow	Lehman
Cathey	Leonard
Cauthorn	Leyendecker
Celaya	Little
Cleveland	Loggins
Colquitt	London
Davis of Haskell	Lucas
Davis of Jasper	Mauritz
Davison of Fisher	Mays
Davisson	McConnell
of Eastland	McFarland
Dean	McKee
Deglandon	McKinney
Derden	Metcalfe
Dickison	Moffett
Dollins	Monkhouse
Donaghey	Morris
England	Nicholson
Felty	Oliver
Fielden	Patterson of Mills
Fuchs	Patterson
Gibson	of Travis
Graves	Petsch
Hamilton	Pope
Hankamer	Powell
Hanna	Prescott
Harbin	Quinn
Hardin	Ragsdale
Harper	Reader
Harrell	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Archer	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Dallas	Rhodes
Hartzog	Riddle
Heflin	Roark
Herzik	Ross
Holland	Russell

Rutta	Talbert
Schuenemann	Tarwater
Settle	Tennyson
Sharpe	Thornberry
Shell	Thornton
Simpson	Vale
Skaggs	Waggoner
Smith of Hopkins	Weldon
Smith	Westbrook
of Matagorda	Winfree
Smith of Tarrant	Wood
Stinson	Worley
Stocks	

## Absent

Fox	Morse
Harris of Dickens	Newton
Howard	Palmer
Kenyon	Sewell
McDonald	

## Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

## SENATE BILL NO. 8 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act to enable the Board of Regents of the University of Texas to accept, on behalf of the State, donation of lands on which taxes are past due, and to appropriate the same to the use and benefit of the University of Texas, etc."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 8 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hankamer moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 8 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—129

Adkins	Blankenship
Alexander	Boethel
Alsup	Bond
Amos	Boyer
Anderson	Bradbury
Baker	Bradford
Bates	Bridgers
Beckworth	Broadfoot
Bell	Burton

Brown	Leonard
Cagle	Leyendecker
Callan	Little
Carssow	London
Cathey	Lucas
Cauthorn	Mauritz
Celaya	Mays
Cleveland	McConnell
Colquitt	McDonald
Davis of Jasper	McFarland
Davison of Fisher	McKee
Davisson	McKinney
of Eastland	Metcalfe
Dean	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Derden	Morris
Dickison	Newton
Dollins	Oliver
Donaghey	Palmer
England	Patterson of Mills
Felty	Patterson
Fielden	of Travis
Gibson	Pope
Hankamer	Powell
Hanna	Prescott
Harbin	Quinn
Hardin	Ragsdale
Harper	Reader
Harrell	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Archer	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Dickens	Rhodes
Hartzog	Riddle
Heflin	Roark
Herzik	Ross
Holland	Russell
Hoskins	Rutta
Huddleston	Schuenemann
Hull	Settle
Hyder	Sharpe
Jackson	Shell
Johnson of Ellis	Simpson
Johnson	Smith of Hopkins
of Tarrant	Smith
Jones of Atascosa	of Matagorda
Jones of Angelina	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Falls	Stinson
Jones of Wise	Stocks
Keefe	Talbert
Kelt	Tarwater
Kenyon	Tennyson
Kern	Thornberry
King	Thornton
Knetsch	Waggoner
Langdon	Weldon
Lankford	Westbrook
Lanning	Winfree
Leath	Wood
Lehman	
Absent	
Davis of Haskell	Harris of Dallas
Fox	Howard
Fuchs	Loggins
Graves	Morse
Hamilton	Nicholson

Petsch	Vale
Sewell	Worley
Skaggs	

Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 8 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—131

Adkins	Harris of Archer
Alexander	Harris of Dallas
Alsup	Harris of Dickens
Amos	Hartzog
Anderson	Heflin
Baker	Herzik
Bates	Holland
Beckworth	Huddleston
Bell	Hull
Blankenship	Hyder
Boethel	Jackson
Bond	Johnson of Ellis
Boyer	Johnson
Bradbury	of Tarrant
Bradford	Jones of Angelina
Bridgers	Jones of Atascosa
Broadfoot	Jones of Falls
Brown	Jones of Wise
Burton	Keefe
Cagle	Kelt
Callan	Kenyon
Carssow	Kern
Cauthorn	King
Celaya	Knetsch
Cleveland	Langdon
Colquitt	Lankford
Davis of Haskell	Lanning
Davis of Jasper	Leath
Davison of Fisher	Lehman
Davisson	Leonard
of Eastland	Leyendecker
Dean	Little
Deglandon	London
Derden	Lucas
Dickison	Mauritz
Dollins	Mays
Donaghey	McConnell
England	McDonald
Fuchs	McFarland
Gibson	McKee
Graves	McKinney
Hamilton	Moffett
Hankamer	Metcalfe
Hanna	Monkhouse
Harbin	Morris
Hardin	Newton
Harper	Nicholson
Harrell	Oliver

Patterson of Mills	Shell
Patterson	Simpson
of Travis	Smith of Hopkins
Pope	Smith
Powell	of Matagorda
Prescott	Smith of Tarrant
Quinn	Stinson
Ragsdale	Stocks
Reader	Talbert
Reed of Bowie	Tarwater
Reed of Dallas	Tennyson
Rhodes	Thornberry
Riddle	Thornton
Roark	Vale
Ross	Waggoner
Russell	Weldon
Rutta	Westbrook
Schuenemann	Winfree
Settle	Wood
Sharpe	

## Absent

Cathey	Morse
Felty	Palmer
Fielden	Petsch
Fox	Sewell
Hoskins	Skaggs
Howard	Worley
Loggins	

## Absent—Excused

Farmer	Stevenson
Keith	Tennant
Mann	

## SENATE BILL NO. 10 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 3902, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by Chapter 465, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, by adding a new section to be known as Section 3a, and providing that in counties of population of thirty-seven thousand five hundred and one and not more than sixty thousand inhabitants, according to the preceding Federal Census, the County Judge may employ one person as office assistant, bookkeeper and stenographer at a salary to be fixed by the County Judge, not to exceed Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars per annum, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to third reading.

## SENATE BILL NO. 10 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Wood moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 10 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—127

Adkins	Herzik
Alsup	Holland
Amos	Hoskins
Anderson	Huddleston
Bates	Hull
Baker	Hyder
Beckworth	Johnson
Bell	of Tarrant
Blankenship	Jones of Angelina
Boethel	Johnson of Ellis
Bond	Jones of Atascosa
Boyer	Jones of Falls
Bradbury	Keefe
Bradford	Kelt
Bridgers	Kenyon
Broadfoot	King
Brown	Knetsch
Burton	Langdon
Cagle	Lanning
Callan	Leath
Carsow	Lehman
Cauthorn	Leonard
Celaya	Little
Cleveland	Loggins
Colquitt	London
Davis of Haskell	Lucas
Davis of Jasper	Mauritz
Davison of Fisher	Mays
Davisson	McConnell
of Eastland	McDonald
Dean	McFarland
Deglandon	McKee
Derden	Metcalf
Dickison	Moffett
Dollins	Monkhouse
Donaghey	Morris
England	Newton
Felty	Nicholson
Fielden	Oliver
Fox	Palmer
Fuchs	Patterson of Mills
Hamilton	Patterson
Hankamer	of Travis
Hanna	Pope
Harbin	Powell
Hardin	Prescott
Harper	Quinn
Harrell	Ragsdale
Harris of Archer	Reader
Harris of Dallas	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Dickens	Reed of Dallas
Hartzog	Rhodes
Heflin	Riddle

Roark	Stocks
Ross	Talbert
Russell	Tarwater
Rutta	Tennyson
Schuenemann	Thornberry
Settle	Thornton
Sharpe	Vale
Shell	Waggoner
Simpson	Weldon
Smith of Hopkins	Westbrook
Smith	Winfree
of Matagorda	Wood
Smith of Tarrant	Worley

## Nays—1

Lankford

## Absent

Alexander	Leyendecker
Cathey	McKinney
Gibson	Morse
Graves	Petsch
Howard	Sewell
Jackson	Skaggs
Jones of Wise	Stinson
Kern	Tennant

## Absent—Excused

Farmer	Mann
Keith	Stevenson

The Chair then laid Senate Bill No. 10 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—123

Adkins	Cleveland
Alsup	Colquitt
Amos	Davis of Haskell
Anderson	Davis of Jasper
Baker	Davison of Fisher
Bates	Dean
Beckworth	Deglandon
Bell	Derden
Blankenship	Dickison
Boethel	Dollins
Bond	Donaghey
Boyer	England
Bradbury	Felty
Bradford	Fielden
Bridgers	Fox
Broadfoot	Fuchs
Brown	Hamilton
Burton	Hankamer
Cagle	Hanna
Callan	Harbin
Carssow	Hardin
Cauthorn	Harrell
Celaya	Harris of Archer

Harris of Dallas	Oliver
Harris of Dickens	Palmer
Hartzog	Patterson of Mills
Heflin	Patterson
Herzik	of Travis
Holland	Pope
Hoskins	Powell
Huddleston	Prescott
Hyder	Quinn
Johnson of Ellis	Ragsdale
Johnson	Reader
of Tarrant	Reed of Dallas
Jones of Angelina	Rhodes
Jones of Falls	Riddle
Keefe	Roark
Kelt	Ross
King	Russell
Knetsch	Rutta
Langdon	Schuenemann
Lanning	Settle
Leath	Sharpe
Lehman	Shell
Leonard	Simpson
Leyendecker	Skaggs
Little	Smith of Hopkins
Loggins	Smith
London	of Matagorda
Lucas	Smith of Tarrant
Mauritz	Stocks
Mays	Talbert
McConnell	Tarwater
McDonald	Tennyson
McFarland	Thornberry
McKee	Thornton
Metcalf	Vale
Moffett	Waggoner
Monkhouse	Weldon
Morris	Westbrook
Newton	Wood
Nicholson	Worley

## Nays—1

Lankford

## Absent

Alexander	Kenyon
Cathey	Kern
Gibson	McKinney
Graves	Morse
Harper	Petsch
Howard	Reed of Bowie
Hull	Sewell
Jackson	Stinson
Jones of Atascosa	Winfree
Jones of Wise	

## Absent—Excused

Davisson	Mann
of Eastland	Stevenson
Farmer	Tennant
Keith	

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

Austin, Texas, October 20, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate  
to inform the House the Senate has  
passed the following:

S. B. No. 13, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act amending Article 6077-C  
of the Revised Civil Statutes of the  
State of Texas (Acts, 1933, Forty-  
third Legislature, First Called Session,  
page 275, Chapter 110) by clarifying  
and enlarging the description in Sec-  
tion 4 and adding Section 5A, to re-  
move the additional Public School  
lands from sale and lease, and Sec-  
tion 6A providing for the manage-  
ment of public donations by the  
Texas State Parks Board to acquire  
acreage within the area, and giving  
the Board the power to condemn  
such lands and use the public funds  
for the purchase of such lands for  
park purposes, and declaring an  
emergency."

Respectfully,

**BOB BARKER,**

Secretary of the Senate.

**PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION  
OF LOCAL AND UNCONTESTED  
BILLS**

Mr. Hull moved to suspend the regu-  
lar order of business, and all neces-  
sary Rules, for the purpose of taking  
up and considering local and uncon-  
tested bills on this afternoon.

The motion prevailed.

**SENATE BILLS ON FIRST  
READING**

The following Senate bills, received  
from the Senate today, were laid be-  
fore the House, read severally first  
time, and referred to the appropriate  
committees, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 9, to the Committee  
on Counties.

Senate Bill No. 12, to the Committee  
on Counties.

Senate Bill No. 13, to the Committee  
on Public Lands and Buildings.

**BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER**

The Speaker signed, in the presence  
of the House, after giving due notice  
thereof, and its caption had been read,  
the following enrolled bill:

H. B. No. 96, "An Act amending  
Article 199, Revised Statutes of

Texas, Thirty-ninth Legislature, Chap-  
ter 4, page 6, 1925; providing for  
change in duration of term of court  
in the 52nd Judicial District; fixing  
the time of taking effect of this Act,  
and declaring an emergency."

**RECESS**

Mr. Keefe moved that the House  
adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., to-  
morrow.

Mr. Hull moved that the House re-  
cess until 2:30 o'clock p. m., today.

Question first recurring on the mo-  
tion to adjourn, it was lost.

Question then recurring on the mo-  
tion to recess, it prevailed, and the  
House, accordingly, at 12:10 o'clock  
p. m., took recess until 2:30 o'clock  
p. m., today.

**AFTERNOON SESSION**

The House met at 2:30 o'clock p. m.,  
and was called to order by Mr. Morse.

**LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED**

(By unanimous consent)

Mr. Smith of Matagorda was granted  
leave of absence for this afternoon  
and tomorrow, on account of im-  
portant business, on motion of Mr.  
Hamilton.

Mr. Kenyon was granted leave of  
absence for this afternoon, on account  
of important business, on motion of  
Mr. Thornton.

Mr. McFarland was granted leave  
of absence for this afternoon, on ac-  
count of illness, on motion of Mr.  
Davis of Jasper.

Mr. Deglandon was granted leave of  
absence temporarily for this after-  
noon, on account of illness of his  
father, on motion of Mr. Calvert.

Mr. Callan was granted leave of  
absence for this afternoon, on account  
of important business, on motion of  
Mr. Deglandon.

**HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING**

The following House bills, intro-  
duced today, were laid before the  
House, read severally first time, and  
referred to the appropriate commit-  
tees, as follows:

By Mr. Davisson of Eastland:

H. B. No. 151, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act ratifying, validating and  
confirming all waterworks system

revenue refunding bonds and all sewer system revenue refunding bonds heretofore authorized, issued, exchanged and delivered by cities in Texas operating under the provisions of special charters and which refunding bonds have been heretofore validated and confirmed by a final decree of a United States District Court in Texas, and providing that such refunding bonds so authorized, issued, exchanged and delivered shall be and constitute valid and binding obligations upon the revenues of such systems, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. No. 152, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing Callahan County Road District Number Three in Callahan County, Texas, under Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution for the purpose of the construction, operation and maintenance of macadamized, graveled or paved roads or turnpikes, or in aid thereof; describing the territory included therein; making the district a body corporate with authority to sue and be sued; authorizing the district to issue bonds upon two-thirds vote of the qualified electors who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation voting at an election; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Little:

H. B. No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of Senate Bill No. 496, Chapter 168, Acts of the Legislature of Texas, passed at the Forty-fourth Regular Session of the Legislature of Texas, so as to authorize any city of more than forty thousand (40,000) population, according to the last preceding census, to codify and adopt a code of civil and criminal ordinances without the necessity of publication, providing for the taking effect of said code upon adoption; providing for the reception in evidence of such code when printed under the supervision of the governing body of said city and the effect of such admission in evidence, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Hull:

H. B. No. 154, A bill to be entitled "An Act making certain appropriations out of the General Revenue Fund of the State of Texas; providing that said appropriations shall not be paid unless and until the claims to pay which these appropriations are made shall have been established as just and valid by a final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction as provided by Chapter 26, Title 54, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Rutta and Mr. Hankamer:

H. B. No. 155, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1, Chapter 39, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature, as amended by House Bill No. 1016, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Howard:

H. B. No. 156, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the incorporation of towns and cities having a population of not less than six hundred (600) nor more than two thousand (2,000); validating the inclusion within the territorial limit of towns and cities, the territorial limits of cities and towns who have theretofore extended their territorial limits under the provisions of Chapter 14, Title 28, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925; providing that such city so extending its corporate limits under provisions of Chapter 14, Title 28, Revised Statutes, 1925, shall continue to exercise the limited powers therein granted; validating the extension of the city limits of cities and towns which at the time of their original corporation had a population of not less than six hundred (600) and not more than two thousand (2,000); validating all acts and ordinances passed by the governing bodies of cities and towns which at the time of the original incorporation had a population of not more than two thousand (2,000) nor less than six hundred (600), and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

## MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, October 20, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House the Senate has passed the following:

S. B. No. 16, A bill to be entitled "An Act to exempt from county supervision of its schools all independent school districts in certain counties regardless of the population of said districts, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 32, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 793, Chapter 4, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1925, fixing the rate of wages in certain counties to be paid county convicts committed to workhouses, county farms, or public improvements, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate annexation proceedings of home rule cities where such annexation proceedings took place prior to April 1, 1930, and validating all proceedings, actions and contracts and the exercise of dominion and governmental functions over such annexed territory, and declaring an emergency." (With amendment.)

H. B. No. 71, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1645, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 15, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, relative to the compensation and salary to be paid County Auditors in certain counties, and declaring an emergency." (With amendment.)

H. B. No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing a special fishing license for those who fish in the waters of Medina Lake; providing a penalty for any violation of this Act; providing for a Commission; providing for disposition of funds collected under the provisions of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 61, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of County Auditors in certain counties, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the amount that may be allowed by County Boards of Trustees to the County Superintendents of Public Instruction for expenditures for office and traveling ex-

penses in certain counties according to the last preceding Federal Census; making this Act cumulative of all General Laws on the same subject, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 111, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 23, Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature; providing that it should be lawful to use one dog for the purpose of hunting, pursuing and taking of deer in Jefferson, and Orange Counties, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 24, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of County Attorneys in certain counties in this State, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,  
Secretary of the Senate.

## ADDITIONAL SIGNERS OF BILLS

By unanimous consent of the House, the following Members were authorized to sign bills, as co-authors of same, as follows:

Mr. McKee, Mr. Alsup, Mr. Dickison, Mr. Vale, Mr. Celaya, Mr. Amos, Mr. Harper and Mr. Colquitt, House Bill No. 141.

Mr. Baker, House Bill No. 93.

Mr. Beckworth, House Bill No. 144.

## BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED

(By unanimous consent)

On motion of Mr. Cauthorn, Senate Bill No. 13 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Wood, Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Petsch, House Bill No. 149 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Ross, House Bill No. 152 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Reed of Bowie, Senate Bill No. 24 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Davisson of Eastland, House Bill No. 151 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Little, House Bill No. 153 was ordered not printed.

## SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following Senate bills, received from the Senate today, were laid before the House, read severally first

time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 16, to the Committee on Education.

Senate Bill No. 24, to the Committee on Counties.

#### MEMORIALIZING CONGRESS IN REGARD TO CERTAIN LEGISLATION

The Chair laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 11, Expressing opposition of the Texas Legislature to Senate Joint Resolution No. 208 of Congress of the United States.

Whereas, The Senate of the United States, at the last Session of Congress, passed Senate Joint Resolution No. 208, and said Resolution is now pending before the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives; and

Whereas, Said Resolution, among other things, declares that the United States Government is the owner of submerged lands within the three mile limit along the shoreline of the United States, and directs the Attorney General of the United States to take such steps as may be necessary to recover such areas for the United States and to eject others therefrom; and

Whereas, Such Resolution proceeds upon a mistaken premise, the fact being that such areas are the property of the several States, as has been definitely established by numerous decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States; and

Whereas, Particularly the State of Texas, when it entered the Union, expressly reserved all of its public domain, including that portion of the Gulf of Mexico, within its jurisdiction, and by legislative act in 1900 made such a part of the Public Free School Fund of Texas; and

Whereas, The effect of the passage of such a Resolution and any action taken thereunder by the Attorney General of the United States would be to cloud the titles of the several States to such areas, including the State of Texas and the Public Free School Fund, and would further cloud the titles of any vendees holding under valid sales from the various states, and, as a consequence, the passage of said Resolution would be an encroachment by the Government of the United

States upon the rights of the several States involved; and

Whereas, A proper regard for the property rights of the several states should deter the Congress of the United States from passing any such a Resolution; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That we express the opposition of the Legislature of Texas to said Resolution for reasons among others recited above, and we respectfully call upon the Senators and Representatives in Congress from Texas vigorously to oppose the passage of said Senate Joint Resolution No. 208, or any other similar legislation.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 38 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 38, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 141, Chapter 427, of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature by amending Section 4 thereof by adding a new section to be designated Section 4a further specifying general and specific powers to be had and exercised by the Nueces River Conservation and Reclamation District including the power of condemnation and other specific enumerated powers, but without limitation upon the general or specific powers otherwise conferred upon said District by said House Bill No. 141, Chapter 427, or by the Constitution of Texas, or by any other General or Special Law; by amending Section 6 of said House Bill No. 141, Chapter 427, of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature by providing the number, classes and term of office of the Directors of said District, the manner of their appointment and qualification, the number constituting a quorum of said Board of Directors, the manner of filling vacancies therein, fixing dates for Regular Meetings of the Board of Directors and providing for Special Meetings of said Board, and providing that failure of any Director to attend four (4) consecutive meetings of said Board including one Regular Meeting shall terminate his term of office and create a vacancy in said

Board to be filled as other vacancies in said Board of Directors; by amending Section 7 of said House Bill No. 141, Chapter 427, of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature by authorizing the Board of Directors to make surveys and do other work incident to carrying out the purposes of the District, to employ engineers, attorneys and other technical and non-technical assistants or employees and fix their compensation, and determine other proper expenditures of said District, and providing compensation for Directors at Ten (\$10.00) Dollars per day and five (.05) cents per mile traveling expenses, said per diem not to be paid in excess of fifty (50) days in any one calendar year; by defining the terms 'moneys' and 'money' as found in Sections 13 and 23 by adding a new section to be designated Section 23a, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 38 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Alexander moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 38 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—110

Adkins	Davis of Jasper
Alexander	Davison of Fisher
Alsup	Davison
Amos	of Eastland
Anderson	Deglandon
Baker	Derden
Beckworth	Dickison
Blankenship	Dollins
Boethel	Donaghey
Bond	England
Boyer	Felty
Bradbury	Fielden
Bradford	Gibson
Bridgers	Graves
Brown	Hamilton
Burton	Hanna
Cagle	Harbin
Callan	Hardin
Carssow	Harper
Cathey	Harrell
Cauthorn	Harris of Archer
Cleveland	Harris of Dallas
Colquitt	Harris of Dickens
Davis of Haskell	Heflin

Herzik	Moffett
Holland	Morris
Hoskins	Palmer
Huddleston	Patterson of Mills
Hull	Patterson
Johnson of Ellis	of Travis
Johnson	Petsch
of Tarrant	Pope
Jones of Angelina	Prescott
Jones of Falls	Reader
Jones of Wise	Reed of Bowie
Keefe	Rhodes
Kelt	Riddle
Kern	Roark
King	Russell
Knetsch	Rutta
Langdon	Sewell
Lankford	Sharpe
Lanning	Simpson
Leath	Skaggs
Lehman	Smith of Tarrant
Leonard	Stinson
Leyendecker	Stocks
Little	Talbert
Loggins	Tennyson
Lucas	Thornberry
Mauritz	Thornton
Mays	Vale
McConnell	Waggoner
McDonald	Weldon
McFarland	Westbrook
McKee	Wood
Metcalfe	

Nays—1

Reed of Dallas

Absent

Bates	Monkhouse
Bell	Morse
Broadfoot	Newton
Celaya	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
Fox	Powell
Fuchs	Quinn
Hankamer	Ragsdale
Hartzog	Ross
Howard	Schuenemann
Hyder	Shell
Jackson	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Atascosa	Tarwater
Keith	Winfree
London	Worley
McKinney	

Absent—Excused

Farmer	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
Settle	Tennant

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 38 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—113

Adkins	Jones of Wise
Alexander	Keefe
Amos	Kelt
Anderson	Kern
Baker	King
Beckworth	Knetsch
Boethel	Langdon
Bond	Lanning
Boyer	Leath
Bradbury	Lehman
Bradford	Leonard
Bridgers	Leyendecker
Broadfoot	Little
Brown	Loggins
Burton	Lucas
Cagle	Mauritz
Callan	Mays
Carsow	McConnell
Cathey	McDonald
Cauthorn	McFarland
Celaya	McKee
Cleveland	Metcalfe
Colquitt	Moffett
Davis of Jasper	Monkhouse
Davison of Fisher	Morris
Davisson	Palmer
of Eastland	Patterson of Mills
Deglandon	Patterson
Derden	of Travis
Dickison	Petsch
Dollins	Pope
Donaghey	Prescott
England	Quinn
Felty	Ragsdale
Fielden	Reader
Gibson	Reed of Bowie
Graves	Reed of Dallas
Hamilton	Rhodes
Hankamer	Riddle
Hanna	Roark
Harbin	Russell
Hardin	Rutta
Harper	Sewell
Harrell	Sharpe
Harris of Archer	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Skaggs
Harris of Dickens	Smith of Tarrant
Heflin	Stinson
Herzik	Stocks
Holland	Talbert
Hoskins	Tennyson
Huddleston	Thornberry
Hull	Thornton
Johnson of Ellis	Vale
Johnson	Waggoner
of Tarrant	Weldon
Jones of Angelina	Wood
Jones of Falls	Worley

Nays—1

Lankford

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Alsup	London
Bates	McKinney
Bell	Morse
Blankenship	Newton
Davis of Haskell	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
Fox	Powell
Fuchs	Ross
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Howard	Shell
Hyder	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Tarwater
Jones of Atascosa	Winfree
Keith	

Absent—Excused

Farmer	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
Settle	Tennant

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 69 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Leonard called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate annexation proceedings of home rule cities where such annexation proceedings took place prior to April 1, 1930 and validating all proceedings, actions and contracts and the exercise of dominion and governmental functions over such annexed territory, and declaring an emergency."

The Chair laid the bill before the House, with the Senate amendments.

Mr. Leonard moved that the House do not concur in the Senate amendments, and that a Conference Committee be requested to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the bill.

The motion prevailed.

In accordance with the above action, the Speaker announced the appointment of the following Conference Committee on House Bill No. 69: Messrs. Leonard, Celaya, Vale, Pope and Jones of Atascosa.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 76 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 76, A bill to be entitled

"An Act regulating the size of Sea Drum or Black Drum to be sold, offered for sale or possessed in this State; providing that any legal size salt water fish may be filleted for the purpose of freezing and selling to the market in a frozen condition; providing how such fish shall be measured with or without the heads; providing for places of venue in cases for violations; providing for a penalty for violations of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 76 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hartzog moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 76 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—107

Adkins	Hanna
Alexander	Harbin
Alsup	Hardin
Amos	Harper
Anderson	Harris of Archer
Beckworth	Harris of Dallas
Bell	Harris of Dickens
Blankenship	Hartzog
Bond	Heflin
Boyer	Herzik
Bradbury	Holland
Bradford	Hoskins
Bridgers	Huddleston
Broadfoot	Hull
Brown	Hyder
Burton	Jackson
Cagle	Johnson of Ellis
Carssow	Johnson
Cathey	of Tarrant
Cauthorn	Jones of Angelina
Cleveland	Jones of Falls
Davis of Haskell	Jones of Wise
Davis of Jasper	Keefe
Davisson	Kelt
of Eastland	Kern
Deglandon	King
Derden	Knetsch
Dickson	Langdon
Dollins	Lankford
Donaghey	Lanning
Farmer	Leath
Gibson	Lehman
Hamilton	Leonard
Hankamer	Leyendecker

Little	Riddle
Loggins	Roark
Lucas	Russell
Mauritz	Schuenemann
Mays	Sewell
McConnell	Sharpe
McDonald	Shell
McFarland	Simpson
McKee	Skaggs
Metcalf	Smith of Tarrant
Moffett	Stinson
Patterson of Mills	Talbert
Patterson	Tarwater
of Travis	Tennyson
Petsch	Thornberry
Pope	Thornton
Powell	Vale
Quinn	Waggoner
Reed of Bowie	Weldon
Reed of Dallas	Wood
Rhodes	Worley

#### Absent

Baker	McKinney
Bates	Monkhouse
Boethel	Morris
Celaya	Morse
Colquitt	Newton
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
England	Palmer
Felty	Prescott
Fielden	Ragsdale
Fox	Reader
Fuchs	Ross
Graves	Rutta
Harrell	Settle
Howard	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Atascosa	Stocks
Keith	Westbrook
London	Winfrey

#### Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
	Tennant

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 76 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

#### Yeas—107

Adkins	Blankenship
Alexander	Boethel
Alsup	Bond
Amos	Boyer
Anderson	Bradbury
Beckworth	Bradford
Bell	Bridgers

Broadfoot	Lankford
Brown	Lanning
Burton	Leath
Cagle	Lehman
Carssow	Leonard
Cathey	Leyendecker
Cauthorn	Little
Cleveland	Lucas
Davis of Haskell	Mauritz
Davis of Jasper	Mays
Davisson	McConnell
of Eastland	McDonald
Dean	McFarland
Deglandon	Moffett
Derden	Metcalf
Dickison	Patterson of Mills
Dollins	Patterson
Donaghey	of Travis
Farmer	Pope
Felty	Powell
Gibson	Prescott
Hamilton	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Harbin	Reed of Dallas
Hardin	Rhodes
Harper	Riddle
Harris of Archer	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Schuenemann
Hartzog	Sewell
Heflin	Sharpe
Herzik	Shell
Holland	Simpson
Hoskins	Skaggs
Huddleston	Smith of Tarrant
Hull	Stinson
Hyder	Stocks
Jackson	Talbert
Johnson of Ellis	Tarwater
Johnson	Tennyson
of Tarrant	Thornberry
Jones of Angelina	Thornton
Jones of Falls	Vale
Jones of Wise	Waggoner
Keefe	Weldon
Kern	Westbrook
King	Wood
Langdon	Worley

## Absent

Baker	Keith
Bates	Kelt
Celaya	Knetsch
Colquitt	Loggins
Davison of Fisher	London
England	McKee
Fielden	McKinney
Fox	Monkhouse
Fuchs	Morris
Graves	Morse
Hankamer	Newton
Harrell	Nicholson
Howard	Oliver
Jones of Atascosa	Palmer

Petsch	Rutta
Ragsdale	Settle
Reader	Smith of Hopkins
Ross	Winfree

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
	Tennant

## HOUSE BILL NO. 80 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act placing a closed season on shrimp in the inland salt waters of this State during the months of July and August or from and between the 25th day of December and the 15th day of March of any year; providing that shrimp may be taken at any time of the year, with certain tackle, for bait; providing a penalty for violations of this Act; providing for the seizing of tackle for evidence; repealing Section 1-D of Article 941 and all laws not conflicting herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Thornton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 80, by Hartzog, by striking out the words "Months of July and August" where it appears on lines 22, 19 and 31, on page 1 of said Act, and insert in lieu therefor on lines 19 and 22, the following: "From and between the 1st day of July to the 15th day of August", and by inserting on line 19 before the words "of any year" the following: "or from and between the 25th day of December and the 15th day of March."

THORNTON,  
SHELL,  
SMITH of Matagorda.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 80 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 80 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hartzog moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended,

and that House Bill No. 80 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Adkins	Jones of Falls
Alexander	Keefe
Alsup	Kelt
Amos	Kern
Anderson	King
Baker	Langdon
Beckworth	Lankford
Bell	Lanning
Blankenship	Leath
Boethel	Lehman
Bond	Leonard
Boyer	Leyendecker
Bradford	Little
Bridgers	Lucas
Broadfoot	Mays
Brown	McConnell
Burton	McDonald
Cagle	McFarland
Carssow	McKee
Cathey	Metcalfe
Cauthorn	Moffett
Celaya	Morris
Cleveland	Patterson of Mills
Colquitt	Patterson
Davis of Haskell	of Travis
Davis of Jasper	Petsch
Davison of Fisher	Pope
Davisson	Powell
of Eastland	Prescott
Deglandon	Quinn
Derden	Reed of Bowie
Dickison	Reed of Dallas
Dollins	Rhodes
Donaghey	Riddle
Farmer	Roark
Gibson	Russell
Hamilton	Schuenemann
Hanna	Settle
Harbin	Sewell
Hardin	Sharpe
Harper	Shell
Harris of Archer	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Smith of Hopkins
Harris of Dickens	Smith of Tarrant
Hartzog	Stinson
Heflin	Stocks
Holland	Talbert
Hoskins	Tennyson
Howard	Thornberry
Huddleston	Thornton
Hull	Vale
Hyder	Waggoner
Jackson	Weldon
Johnson of Ellis	Westbrook
Johnson	Wood
of Tarrant	Worley
Jones of Angelina	

#### Absent

Bates	London
Bradbury	Mauritz
Dean	McKinney
England	Monkhouse
Felty	Morse
Fielden	Newton
Fox	Nicholson
Fuchs	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Hankamer	Ragsdale
Harrell	Reader
Herzik	Ross
Jones of Atascosa	Rutta
Jones of Wise	Skaggs
Keith	Tarwater
Knetsch	Winfree
Loggins	

#### Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
	Tennant

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 80 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 89 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 1148, passed during the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature; and this House bill is offered for the purpose of prohibiting the catching, taking, or seining for the purpose of sale, or transportation for the purpose of sale, either dead or alive, more than five hundred (500) minnows of any and all species in any one day from the fresh water streams of McCulloch, San Saba, Gillespie, Llano, Kendall, Blanco, Lampasas, Mason, Burnet, Williamson, Travis, Hill, Palo Pinto, and Stephens Counties; specifying the territory in which this Act shall be operative, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

On motion of Mr. McConnell, the bill was laid on the table subject to call.

HOUSE BILL NO. 81 ON SECOND  
READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 4782, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing that provisions hereof shall not affect Acts, Forty-first Legislature, First Called Session, 1929, Chapter 40, as amended by Acts, Forty-first Legislature, 1929, Second Called Session, Chapter 60, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Thornton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 81, by striking out in Section 3 and Section 4 the following words: "and not later than March 1st of each year".

THORNTON,  
HARTZOG.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 81 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 81 ON THIRD  
READING

Mr. Harbin moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 81 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adkins	Celaya
Alsup	Cleveland
Amos	Colquitt
Anderson	Davis of Haskell
Baker	Davis of Jasper
Beckworth	Davison of Fisher
Bell	Davisson
Blankenship	of Eastland
Boethel	Dean
Boyer	Deglandon
Bradbury	Derden
Bradford	Dickison
Bridgers	Dollins
Burton	Felty
Cagle	Fielden
Carssow	Fox
Cathey	Fuchs
Cauthorn	Hamilton

Hanna	McDonald
Harbin	Metcalfe
Hardin	Moffett
Harper	Monkhouse
Harris of Dallas	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Dickens	Patterson
Hartzog	of Travis
Heflin	Petsch
Herzik	Pope
Holland	Prescott
Hoskins	Ragsdale
Howard	Reed of Bowie
Huddleston	Reed of Dallas
Hull	Rhodes
Hyder	Riddle
Jackson	Roark
Johnson of Ellis	Ross
Johnson	Russell
of Tarrant	Schuenemann
Jones of Angelina	Settle
Jones of Falls	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Sharpe
Keefe	Shell
Kelt	Simpson
Kern	Smith of Hopkins
King	Smith of Tarrant
Langdon	Stinson
Lankford	Stocks
Lanning	Talbert
Leath	Tarwater
Lehman	Tennyson
Leonard	Thornberry
Leyendecker	Thornton
Little	Vale
London	Waggoner
Lucas	Weldon
Mauritz	Winfree
Mays	Wood
McConnell	Worley

Nays—2

Brown Westbrook

Absent

Alexander	Loggins
Bates	McKee
Bond	McKinney
Broadfoot	Morris
Donaghey	Morse
England	Newton
Farmer	Nicholson
Gibson	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Hankamer	Powell
Harrell	Quinn
Harris of Archer	Reader
Jones of Atascosa	Rutta
Keith	Skaggs
Knetsch	

Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 81 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—106

Adkins	Keefe
Alsup	Kelt
Amos	Kern
Anderson	King
Baker	Langdon
Bates	Lankford
Beckworth	Lanning
Bell	Leath
Boethel	Lehman
Bond	Leonard
Boyer	Leyendecker
Bradbury	Little
Bradford	Loggins
Bridgers	Lucas
Burton	Mauritz
Cagle	Mays
Carssow	McConnell
Cathey	McKee
Cauthorn	Metcalfe
Cleveland	Moffett
Davis of Haskell	Monkhouse
Davis of Jasper	Oliver
Davison of Fisher	Patterson of Mills
Davison of Eastland	Patterson of Travis
Dean	Pope
Deglandon	Powell
Derden	Prescott
Dickison	Reed of Bowie
Dollins	Reed of Dallas
Fox	Riddle
Fuchs	Roark
Hamilton	Ross
Hankamer	Russell
Harbin	Rutta
Hardin	Schuenemann
Harper	Settle
Harris of Dallas	Sewell
Harris of Dickens	Sharpe
Hartzog	Shell
Heflin	Simpson
Herzik	Skaggs
Holland	Smith of Hopkins
Hoskins	Smith of Tarrant
Howard	Stinson
Huddleston	Talbert
Hull	Thornberry
Hyder	Thornton
Jackson	Vale
Johnson of Ellis	Waggoner
Johnson of Tarrant	Weldon
Jones of Angelina	Winfree
Jones of Falls	Wood
Jones of Wise	Worley

## Nays—6

Blankenship	Harris of Archer
Brown	Rhodes
Colquitt	Stocks

## Present—Not Voting

## Westbrook

## Absent

Alexander	London
Broadfoot	McDonald
Celaya	McKinney
Donaghey	Morris
England	Morse
Felty	Newton
Fielden	Nicholson
Gibson	Palmer
Graves	Petsch
Hanna	Quinn
Harrell	Ragsdale
Jones of Atascosa	Reader
Keith	Tarwater
Knetsch	Tennyson

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Farmer	of Matagorda
Kenyon	Stevenson
Mann	Tennant
McFarland	

## HOUSE BILL NO. 101 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act excepting suits pending or on appeal at the effective date of House Bill No. 60 of the First Called Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature from the provisions of said Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hartzog raised a point of order, on further consideration of House Bill No. 101, at this time, on the ground that the bill contains subject matter not submitted by the Governor.

The Chair sustained the point of order.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 102 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 821 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature and finding and declaring that there

exist in the State insanitary or unsafe dwelling accommodations; that there is a shortage of safe or sanitary dwelling accommodations available at rents which persons of low income can afford; that such conditions constitute a menace to the health, safety, morals and welfare of the residents of the State and impair the economic values; that slum areas cannot be cleared through the operation of private enterprise; that housing projects will not be competitive with private enterprise; that the clearance, replanning and reconstruction of the areas in which insanitary or unsafe housing conditions exist and the providing of safe and sanitary dwelling accommodations for persons of low income are public uses and purposes and are governmental functions; that the necessity in the public interest of the provisions of this Act is declared as a matter of legislative determination; defining certain words, terms and phrases for the purpose of this Act; authorizing the creation of public bodies corporate and politic to be known as housing authorities; prescribing the procedure to be followed in the creation of such authorities; providing for the appointment, qualifications and tenure of office of the commissioners of the authorities; providing that the power of each authority shall be vested in the commissioners thereof; defining the authority, prescribing the powers thereof, and that it shall have all the powers necessary or convenient to carry out and effectuate the purposes and provisions of this Act, including specifically the making of by-laws, rules and regulations; to prepare, carry out, acquire, lease and operate housing projects, to provide for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration or repair of any housing project; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 102, by adding at the proper place in the emergency clause the words: "and said Rule is hereby suspended".

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Davison of Fisher offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 102, Section

3, Subsection 3, by striking out all the words after the word "city".

DAVISON of Fisher,  
HANKAMER.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 102 was then passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 102 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hankamer moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 102 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Adkins	Harris of Archer
Alsup	Harris of Dallas
Anderson	Harris of Dickens
Baker	Hartzog
Beckworth	Heflin
Bell	Herzik
Blankenship	Holland
Boethel	Hoskins
Bond	Huddleston
Boyer	Hyder
Bradford	Jackson
Bridgers	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson
Brown	of Tarrant
Burton	Jones of Angelina
Cagle	Jones of Falls
Carssow	Jones of Wise
Cathey	Keefe
Cauthorn	Kelt
Celaya	Kern
Cleveland	King
Colquitt	Knetsch
Davis of Haskell	Langdon
Davis of Jasper	Lankford
Davison of Fisher	Lanning
Davisson	Leath
of Eastland	Lehman
Deglandon	Leonard
Derden	Leyendecker
Dickison	Little
Dollins	Loggins
Farmer	London
Fox	Lucas
Fuchs	McDonald
Hamilton	Mauritz
Hankamer	McConnell
Hanna	Metcalfe
Hardin	Moffett
Harper	Monkhouse

Oliver	Sewell
Palmer	Sharpe
Patterson of Mills	Shell
Patterson	Simpson
of Travis	Smith of Tarrant
Petsch	Stinson
Pope	Stocks
Prescott	Talbert
Quinn	Tennyson
Reed of Bowie	Thornberry
Reed of Dallas	Thornton
Rhodes	Vale
Roark	Waggoner
Russell	Weldon
Rutta	Winfree
Schuenemann	Worley

## Absent

Alexander	Mays
Amos	McKee
Bates	McKinney
Bradbury	Morris
Dean	Morse
Donaghey	Newton
England	Nicholson
Felty	Powell
Fielden	Ragsdale
Gibson	Reader
Graves	Riddle
Harbin	Ross
Harrell	Skaggs
Howard	Smith of Hopkins
Hull	Tarwater
Jones of Atascosa	Westbrook
Keith	Wood

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 102 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 102, by deleting the word "44th" in the second line of the title, and substituting in lieu thereof the word "45th" when referring to the Regular Session of the Legislature at which the bill was passed.

CARSSOW,  
HANKAMER.

Amend House Bill No. 102, by inserting after "Section 4", first line of that paragraph, the following words: "Creation of Housing Authorities".

Also insert after "Section 14-A", first line of that paragraph, the following words: "Bonds or legal investments".

CARSSOW,  
HANKAMER.

The amendments were severally adopted.

House Bill No. 102 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adkins	Jackson
Alsup	Johnson of Ellis
Amos	Johnson
Anderson	of Tarrant
Baker	Jones of Angelina
Bates	Jones of Falls
Beckworth	Jones of Wise
Blankenship	Keefe
Boethel	Kelt
Bond	Kern
Boyer	King
Bradbury	Knetsch
Bradford	Lankford
Bridgers	Lanning
Broadfoot	Leath
Brown	Lehman
Burton	Leonard
Carssow	Leyendecker
Cathey	Little
Cauthorn	Loggins
Celaya	Langdon
Cleveland	London
Colquitt	Lucas
Davis of Jasper	Mauritz
Davison of Fisher	McConnell
Davisson	McDonald
of Eastland	Metcalfe
Dean	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Dickison	Patterson of Mills
Derden	Patterson
Dollins	of Travis
Farmer	Petsch
Felty	Powell
Fox	Prescott
Fuchs	Quinn
Hamilton	Ragsdale
Hankamer	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Reed of Dallas
Hardin	Rhodes
Harper	Roark
Harris of Archer	Ross
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Heflin	Schuenemann
Herzik	Sewell
Holland	Sharpe
Hoskins	Shell
Huddleston	Simpson
Hull	Smith of Tarrant
Hyder	Stinson

Stocks	Waggoner
Talbert	Weldon
Tennyson	Westbrook
Thornberry	Winfree
Thornton	Wood
Vale	Worley

## Absent

Alexander	Mays
Bell	McKee
Cagle	McKinney
Davis of Haskell	Morris
Donaghey	Morse
England	Newton
Fielden	Nicholson
Gibson	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Harbin	Pope
Harrell	Reader
Hartzog	Riddle
Howard	Skaggs
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Hopkins
Keith	Tarwater

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

## HOUSE BILL NO. 103 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 820 of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature and defining certain words and phrases for its purposes; making certain findings and declaring necessity; authorizing cities, towns, counties and other public bodies to aid housing projects of housing authorities or of the United States of America by dedicating, selling, conveying or leasing any of its property to a housing authority or the Federal Government; by causing parks, playgrounds, recreational, community, educational, water, sewer or drainage facilities, or any other works which it is otherwise empowered to undertake, to be furnished adjacent to or in connection with housing projects; by furnishing, dedicating, closing, paving, installing, grading, re-grading, planning or re-planning streets, roads, roadways, alleys, sidewalks or other places which it is otherwise empowered to undertake; by planning or re-planning,

zoning or re-zoning any part of such public body; by making exceptions from building regulations and ordinances; by changing, in the case of any city or town, their maps; by entering into agreements with a housing authority or the Federal Government respecting action to be taken by public bodies pursuant to any of the powers granted by this Act; by doing any and all things necessary or convenient to aid and cooperate in the planning, undertaking, construction or operation of such housing projects; by purchasing or legally investing in any of the bonds of a housing authority and exercising all of the rights of any holder of such bonds; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 103, by adding at the proper place in the emergency clause the words: "and said Rule is hereby suspended."

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 103, by inserting the following language immediately after the words "Section 4 A", first line of paragraph: "Further Cooperation in Undertaking Housing Projects".

CARSSOW,  
HANKAMER.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 103 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 103 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hankamer moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 103 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Adkins	Beckworth
Alexander	Bell
Alsup	Blankenship
Amos	Boethel

Boyer	Knetsch
Bradbury	Langdon
Bradford	Lankford
Bridgers	Lanning
Brown	Leath
Burton	Lehman
Cagle	Leonard
Carssow	Leyendecker
Cathey	Little
Cauthorn	Loggins
Celaya	Lucas
Cleveland	Mauritz
Davis of Haskell	McConnell
Davis of Jasper	McDonald
Davison of Fisher	Metcalfe
Dean	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Derden	Oliver
Dickison	Patterson of Mills
Dollins	Patterson
Donaghey	of Travis
Farmer	Pope
Felty	Prescott
Fox	Quinn
Fuchs	Reed of Bowie
Gibson	Reed of Dallas
Hamilton	Rhodes
Hankamer	Roark
Hanna	Russell
Harbin	Rutta
Harrell	Sewell
Harris of Archer	Sharpe
Harris of Dallas	Shell
Harris of Dickens	Simpson
Heflin	Skaggs
Herzik	Smith of Hopkins
Holland	Smith of Tarrant
Hoskins	Stinson
Howard	Stocks
Huddleston	Talbert
Hyder	Tarwater
Jackson	Tennyson
Johnson of Ellis	Thornberry
Johnson	Thornton
of Tarrant	Vale
Jones of Angelina	Waggoner
Jones of Falls	Weldon
Jones of Wise	Westbrook
Keefe	Winfree
Kelt	Wood
Kern	Worley
King	

## Absent

Anderson	Graves
Baker	Hardin
Bates	Harper
Bond	Hartzog
Broadfoot	Hull
Colquitt	Jones of Atascosa
Davison	Keith
of Eastland	London
England	Mays
Fielden	McKee

McKinney	Powell
Morris	Ragsdale
Morse	Reader
Newton	Riddle
Nicholson	Ross
Palmer	Schuenemann
Petsch	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 103 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—108

Adkins	Harris of Archer
Alexander	Harris of Dickens
Amos	Heflin
Baker	Holland
Beckworth	Hoskins
Bell	Howard
Blankenship	Huddleston
Boethel	Hull
Bradbury	Hyder
Bradford	Jackson
Bridgers	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson
Brown	of Tarrant
Burton	Jones of Angelina
Cagle	Jones of Falls
Carssow	Jones of Wise
Cathey	Kelt
Cauthorn	Kern
Cleveland	King
Celaya	Knetsch
Davis of Haskell	Langdon
Davis of Jasper	Lankford
Davison of Fisher	Lanning
Davison	Leath
of Eastland	Lehman
Dean	Leonard
Deglandon	Leyendecker
Derden	Little
Dickison	Loggins
Dollins	London
Donaghey	Lucas
Farmer	Mauritz
Fox	McConnell
Fuchs	McDonald
Gibson	Metcalfe
Hamilton	Moffett
Hankamer	Monkhouse
Hanna	Patterson of Mills
Harbin	Patterson
Hardin	of Travis
Harper	Petsch
Harrell	Pope

Prescott	Stocks
Quinn	Talbert
Reed of Bowie	Tarwater
Reed of Dallas	Tennyson
Roark	Thornberry
Russell	Thornton
Rutta	Vale
Schuenemann	Waggoner
Sewell	Weldon
Sharpe	Westbrook
Simpson	Winfree
Skaggs	Wood
Smith of Tarrant	Worley
Stinson	

## Absent

Alsup	McKee
Anderson	McKinney
Bates	Morris
Bond	Morse
Boyer	Newton
Colquitt	Nicholson
England	Oliver
Felty	Palmer
Fielden	Powell
Graves	Ragsdale
Harris of Dallas	Reader
Hartzog	Rhodes
Herzik	Riddle
Jones of Atascosa	Ross
Keefe	Settle
Keith	Smith of Hopkins
Mays	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Shell	

## HOUSE BILL NO. 110 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment.

H. B. No. 110, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1048 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Mauritz offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend the caption of House Bill No. 110, by adding thereto "an emergency clause".

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 110 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 110 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Mauritz moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 110 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—116

Adkins	Hull
Alexander	Hyder
Alsup	Jackson
Amos	Johnson of Ellis
Anderson	Johnson
Baker	of Tarrant
Bates	Jones of Angelina
Beckworth	Jones of Falls
Bell	Jones of Wise
Blankenship	Keefe
Boethel	Kelt
Boyer	Kern
Bradbury	King
Bradford	Knetsch
Bridgers	Langdon
Broadfoot	Lankford
Brown	Lanning
Burton	Leath
Cagle	Lehman
Carssow	Leonard
Cathey	Leyendecker
Cauthorn	Little
Celaya	Loggins
Cleveland	London
Colquitt	Lucas
Davis of Haskell	Mauritz
Davis of Jasper	McConnell
Davison of Fisher	McDonald
Davisson	Metcalfe
of Eastland	Moffett
Dean	Monkhouse
Deglandon	Oliver
Dickison	Palmer
Dollins	Patterson of Mills
Donaghey	Patterson
Farmer	of Travis
Fuchs	Petsch
Gibson	Pope
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Reed of Dallas
Harper	Rhodes
Harrell	Roark
Harris of Archer	Russell
Harris of Dallas	Rutta
Harris of Dickens	Schuenemann
Hartzog	Sewell
Heflin	Sharpe
Holland	Shell
Hoskins	Simpson
Howard	Skaggs
Huddleston	Smith of Tarrant

Stinson  
Stocks  
Talbert  
Tarwater  
Tennyson  
Thornberry  
Thornton

Vale  
Waggoner  
Weldon  
Winfree  
Wood  
Worley

## Absent

Bond	McKinney
Derden	Morris
England	Morse
Felty	Newton
Fielden	Nicholson
Fox	Powell
Graves	Ragsdale
Harbin	Reader
Herzik	Riddle
Jones of Atascosa	Ross
Keith	Smith of Hopkins
Mays	Westbrook
McKee	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 110 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—114

Adkins	Dean
Alexander	Deglandon
Alsup	Derden
Amos	Dickison
Baker	Dollins
Bates	Donaghey
Beckworth	Farmer
Bell	Felty
Blankenship	Fuchs
Boethel	Gibson
Boyer	Hamilton
Bradbury	Hankamer
Bradford	Hanna
Bridgers	Hardin
Brown	Harper
Burton	Harrell
Cagle	Harris of Archer
Carssow	Harris of Dallas
Cathey	Harris of Dickens
Cauthorn	Hartzog
Celaya	Heflin
Cleveland	Herzik
Colquitt	Holland
Davis of Haskell	Hoskins
Davis of Jasepr	Howard
Davison of Fisher	Huddleston
Davisson	Hull
of Eastland	Hyder

Jackson	Petsch
Johnson of Ellis	Pope
Johnson	Prescott
of Tarrant	Quinn
Jones of Angelina	Reed of Bowie
Jones of Wise	Reed of Dallas
Keefe	Rhodes
Kelt	Roark
Kern	Russell
King	Rutta
Knetsch	Schuenemann
Langdon	Sewell
Lankford	Sharpe
Lanning	Shell
Leath	Simpson
Lehman	Skaggs
Leonard	Smith of Hopkins
Leyendecker	Smith of Tarrant
Little	Stinson
Loggins	Stocks
London	Talbert
Lucas	Tarwater
Mauritz	Tennyson
McConnell	Thornberry
McDonald	Thornton
Metcalfe	Vale
Moffett	Waggoner
Monkhouse	Weldon
Patterson of Mills	Winfree
Patterson	Wood
of Travis	Worley

## Absent

Anderson	McKinney
Bond	Morris
Broadfoot	Morse
England	Newton
Fielden	Nicholson
Fox	Oliver
Graves	Palmer
Harbin	Powell
Jones of Atascosa	Ragsdale
Jones of Falls	Reader
Keith	Riddle
Mays	Ross
McKee	Westbrook

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

## HOUSE BILL NO. 113 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 113, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting Frank Dees and Mrs. George Armstrong, and husband, George Armstrong, of Brewster

County, Texas, permission to bring suit against the State of Texas and the State Highway Department, in the District Court of Brewster County, Texas, for damages sustained to their property by the construction of roadbed and culverts adjacent to their land upon State Highway Number 3, in Brewster County, Texas; impounding water on such land; washing and destroying said land; providing that such suit may be filed within two (2) years after this Act takes effect; providing for the method of serving process and for procedure governing the trial and determination of such suit, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 113 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Bradford moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 113 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—113

Adkins	Donaghey
Alexander	Farmer
Alsup	Fuchs
Amos	Gibson
Baker	Hamilton
Bates	Hankamer
Beckworth	Hanna
Blankenship	Hardin
Boethel	Harper
Boyer	Harrell
Bradbury	Harris of Archer
Bradford	Harris of Dallas
Bridgers	Harris of Dickens
Broadfoot	Hartzog
Brown	Heflin
Burton	Herzik
Cagle	Holland
Carssow	Hoskins
Cathey	Howard
Cauthorn	Huddleston
Celaya	Hull
Cleveland	Hyder
Colquitt	Jackson
Davis of Haskell	Johnson of Ellis
Davis of Jasper	Johnson
Davisson	of Tarrant
of Eastland	Jones of Angelina
Dean	Jones of Falls
Deglandon	Jones of Wise
Derden	Keefe
Dickison	Kelt
Dollins	Kern

King	Reed of Bowie
Knetsch	Reed of Dallas
Langdon	Rhodes
Lankford	Roark
Lanning	Russell
Leath	Rutta
Lehman	Schuenemann
Leonard	Sewell
Leyendecker	Sharpe
Little	Shell
Liggins	Simpson
London	Skaggs
Lucas	Smith of Tarrant
Mauritz	Stinson
McConnell	Talbert
McDonald	Tarwater
Metcalf	Tennyson
Moffett	Thornberry
Monkhouse	Thornton
Palmer	Vale
Patterson of Mills	Waggoner
Patterson	Weldon
of Travis	Westbrook
Petsch	Winfree
Prescott	Wood
Quinn	Worley

### Absent

Anderson	McKinney
Bell	Morris
Bond	Morse
Davison of Fisher	Newton
England	Nicholson
Felty	Oliver
Fielden	Pope
Fox	Powell
Graves	Ragsdale
Harbin	Reader
Jones of Atascosa	Riddle
Keith	Ross
Mays	Smith of Hopkins
McKee	Stocks

### Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 113 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—106

Adkins	Beckworth
Alexander	Blankenship
Alsup	Boethel
Amos	Boyer
Baker	Bradbury
Bates	Bradford

Bridgers	Knetsch
Broadfoot	Langdon
Brown	Lankford
Burton	Lanning
Carssow	Leath
Cauthorn	Lehman
Celaya	Leyendecker
Cleveland	Loggins
Colquitt	London
Davis of Haskell	Lucas
Davis of Jasper	McConnell
Davison of Fisher	McDonald
Davisson	Moffett
of Eastland	Monkhouse
Dean	Oliver
Deglandon	Palmer
Derden	Patterson of Mills
Dickison	Patterson
Dollins	of Travis
Farmer	Petsch
Fuchs	Prescott
Gibson	Quinn
Hamilton	Reed of Bowie
Hankamer	Reed of Dallas
Hanna	Rhodes
Harbin	Roark
Hardin	Russell
Harper	Rutta
Harrell	Schuenemann
Harris of Archer	Sewell
Harris of Dickens	Sharpe
Heflin	Shell
Herzik	Skaggs
Holland	Smith of Tarrant
Hoskins	Stinson
Howard	Stocks
Huddleston	Talbert
Hull	Tarwater
Hyder	Tennyson
Jackson	Thornberry
Johnson of Ellis	Thornton
Johnson	Vale
of Tarrant	Waggoner
Jones of Angelina	Weldon
Jones of Falls	Westbrook
Jones of Wise	Winfree
Kelt	Wood
Kern	Worley
King	

## Absent

Anderson	Keefe
Bell	Keith
Bond	Leonard
Cagle	Little
Cathey	Mauritz
Donaghey	Mays
England	McKee
Felty	McKinney
Fielden	Metcalf
Fox	Morris
Graves	Morse
Harris of Dallas	Newton
Hartzog	Nicholson
Jones of Atascosa	Pope

Powell	Ross
Ragsdale	Simpson
Reader	Smith of Hopkins
Riddle	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

## HOUSE BILL NO. 118 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 118, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that the Supreme Court may grant certain attorneys who have practiced law in a State of the United States for a period of 20 years and hold a license to practice law before the Supreme Court of the United States, may be granted a license to practice in this State without taking the bar examinations, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hull offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 118, Section 1, line 22 of the mimeographed bill, after the words "United States and" the following: "and has not been disbarred or had his license to practice law suspended in any State where applicant has heretofore practiced".

Amend House Bill No. 118, by changing the words "shall" to "may" wherever they appear in the bill.

The amendments were severally adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 118 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 118 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Hull moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 118 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—113

Adkins	Alsup
Alexander	Amos

Anderson	Jones of Falls
Baker	Jones of Wise
Bates	Kelt
Beckworth	Kern
Bell	King
Blankenship	Knetsch
Boethel	Langdon
Boyer	Lankford
Bradbury	Lanning
Bridgers	Leath
Broadfoot	Lehman
Brown	Leonard
Burton	Leyendecker
Carssow	Little
Cathey	Loggins
Cauthorn	Lucas
Celaya	Mauritz
Cleveland	McConnell
Colquitt	McDonald
Davis of Haskell	Metcalf
Davis of Jasper	Moffett
Davison of Fisher	Monkhouse
Davisson	Oliver
of Eastland	Palmer
Deglandon	Patterson of Mills
Derden	Patterson
Dickison	of Travis
Dollins	Petsch
Donaghey	Prescott
Farmer	Quinn
Felty	Reed of Bowie
Fuchs	Reed of Dallas
Gibson	Rhodes
Hamilton	Roark
Hankamer	Russell
Hanna	Schuenemann
Hardin	Sewell
Harper	Sharpe
Harrell	Shell
Harris of Archer	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Skaggs
Harris of Dickens	Smith of Tarrant
Hartzog	Stinson
Heflin	Stocks
Herzik	Talbert
Holland	Tarwater
Hoskins	Tennyson
Howard	Thornberry
Huddleston	Thornton
Hull	Vale
Hyder	Waggoner
Jackson	Weldon
Johnson of Ellis	Westbrook
Johnson	Winfree
of Tarrant	Wood
Jones of Angelina	Worley

## Nays—2

Cagle	Rutta
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## Absent

Bond	England
Bradford	Fielden
Dean	Fox

Graves	Morse
Harbin	Newton
Jones of Atascosa	Nicholson
Keefe	Pope
Keith	Powell
London	Ragsdale
Mays	Reader
McKee	Riddle
McKinney	Ross
Morris	Smith of Hopkins

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 118 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—108

Adkins	Harrell
Alexander	Harris of Archer
Alsup	Harris of Dallas
Amos	Heflin
Anderson	Herzik
Baker	Holland
Bell	Hoskins
Blankenship	Howard
Boethel	Huddleston
Bond	Hull
Boyer	Hyder
Bradbury	Jackson
Bridgers	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson
Brown	of Tarrant
Burton	Jones of Angelina
Carssow	Jones of Falls
Cathey	Jones of Wise
Celaya	Kelt
Colquitt	Kern
Davis of Haskell	King
Davis of Jasper	Langdon
Davison of Fisher	Lankford
Davisson	Lanning
of Eastland	Leath
Deglandon	Lehman
Derden	Leonard
Dickison	Leyendecker
Dollins	Little
Donaghey	Loggins
Farmer	London
Felty	Lucas
Fuchs	Mauritz
Gibson	McConnell
Hamilton	McDonald
Hankamer	McKee
Hanna	Metcalf
Hardin	Moffett
Harper	Morris

Oliver	Simpson
Patterson of Mills	Smith of Hopkins
Patterson	Smith of Tarrant
of Travis	Stinson
Petsch	Stocks
Pope	Talbert
Prescott	Tarwater
Quinn	Tennyson
Reed of Bowie	Thornberry
Reed of Dallas	Thornton
Rhodes	Vale
Roark	Waggoner
Russell	Weldon
Schuenemann	Winfree
Sewell	Wood
Sharpe	Worley
Shell	

Nays—2

Palmer Rutta

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Bates	Keefe
Beckworth	Keith
Bradford	Knetsch
Cagle	Mays
Cauthorn	McKinney
Cleveland	Monkhouse
Dean	Morse
England	Newton
Fielden	Nicholson
Fox	Powell
Graves	Ragsdale
Harbin	Reader
Harris of Dickens	Riddle
Hartzog	Ross
Jones of Atascosa	Skaggs

Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

## HOUSE BILL NO. 127 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 127, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating, ratifying and confirming all bond issues heretofore voted and issued or heretofore voted and not issued, of all cities and towns in this State, for the purpose of constructing swimming pools, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Hankamer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 127, by adding at the end of Section 2 the following: "on the validity of which said bonds or bond elections may be attached in any suit or litigation instituted within 30 days after the effective date of this Act."

HANKAMER,  
LOGGINS.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 127 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 127 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Huddleston moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 127 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—115

Adkins	Donaghey
Alexander	Farmer
Alsup	Felty
Amos	Fox
Anderson	Hamilton
Baker	Hankamer
Bates	Harina
Beckworth	Harbin
Bell	Hardin
Blankenship	Harper
Boethel	Harrell
Boyer	Harris of Archer
Bradbury	Harris of Dallas
Bradford	Harris of Dickens
Bridgers	Hartzog
Broadfoot	Heflin
Brown	Herzik
Burton	Holland
Cagle	Hoskins
Cathey	Howard
Cauthorn	Huddleston
Celaya	Hull
Cleveland	Hyder
Colquitt	Jackson
Davis of Haskell	Johnson of Ellis
Davis of Jasper	Johnson
Davison of Fisher	of Tarrant
Davisson	Jones of Angelina
of Eastland	Jones of Falls
Derden	Jones of Wise
Dickison	Keefe
Dollins	Kelt

Kern	Pope	Cagle	Lankford
King	Prescott	Cathey	Lanning
Knetsch	Quinn	Cauthorn	Leath
Langdon	Reed of Bowie	Celaya	Lehman
Lankford	Reed of Dallas	Cleveland	Leonard
Lanning	Rhodes	Colquitt	Leyendecker
Leath	Roark	Davis of Haskell	London
Lehman	Russell	Davis of Jasper	Lucas
Leonard	Schuenemann	Davison of Fisher	Mauritz
Leyendecker	Sewell	Davisson	Mays
Little	Sharpe	of Eastland	McConnell
Loggins	Shell	Derden	McDonald
London	Skaggs	Dollins	McKee
Lucas	Smith of Tarrant	Donaghey	Metcalf
Mays	Stinson	Farmer	Moffett
McConnell	Stocks	Felty	Monkhouse
McDonald	Tarwater	Fox	Morris
McKee	Tennyson	Hamilton	Oliver
Metcalf	Thornberry	Hankamer	Palmer
Moffett	Thornton	Hanna	Patterson
Monkhouse	Vale	Harbin	of Travis
Morris	Waggoner	Hardin	Petsch
Oliver	Weldon	Harper	Pope
Palmer	Westbrook	Harrell	Prescott
Patterson	Winfree	Harris of Archer	Quinn
of Travis	Wood	Harris of Dallas	Reed of Bowie
Petsch	Worley	Harris of Dickens	Reed of Dallas
		Hartzog	Rhodes
	Absent	Heflin	Roark
		Herzik	Russell
Bond	Newton	Hoskins	Rutta
Carssow	Nicholson	Howard	Schuenemann
Dean	Patterson of Mills	Huddleston	Sewell
England	Powell	Hull	Sharpe
Fielden	Ragsdale	Hyder	Shell
Fuchs	Reader	Jackson	Skaggs
Gibson	Riddle	Johnson of Ellis	Smith of Tarrant
Graves	Ross	Johnson	Stinson
Jones of Atascosa	Rutta	of Tarrant	Stocks
Keith	Simpson	Jones of Angelina	Tarwater
Mauritz	Smith of Hopkins	Jones of Falls	Tennyson
McKinney	Talbert	Jones of Wise	Thornberry
Morse		Keefe	Thornton
	Absent—Excused	Kelt	Waggoner
		Kern	Weldon
Callan	Settle	King	Winfree
Deglandon	Smith	Knetsch	Wood
Kenyon	of Matagorda	Langdon	Worley
Mann	Stevenson		
McFarland	Tennant		

## Nays—1

Blankenship

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 127 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—107

Adkins	Boethel
Alsup	Boyer
Amos	Bradbury
Anderson	Bradford
Baker	Bridgers
Beckworth	Brown
Bell	Burton

Alexander	Fielden
Bates	Fuchs
Bond	Gibson
Broadfoot	Graves
Carssow	Holland
Dean	Jones of Atascosa
Dickison	Keith
England	Little

Loggins	Reader
McKinney	Riddle
Morse	Ross
Newton	Simpson
Nicholson	Smith of Hopkins
Patterson of Mills	Talbert
Powell	Vale
Ragsdale	

Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

## HOUSE BILL NO. 130 ON SECOND READING

The Chair laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 130, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3 of the Uniform Narcotic Drug Act, as enacted by the Forty-fifth Legislature at its Regular Session in 1937 by House Bill No. 440, so as to require any apothecary to obtain a license before supplying narcotic drugs; and by amending said Act further by adding a new section to be numbered Section 24 (a) providing a conviction under said Act may be had on uncorroborated testimony of an accomplice, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Thornton offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 130, by changing the fee from "\$1.00" to "50c".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 130 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 130 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Thornton moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 130 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Adkins	Amos
Alsop	Anderson

Baker	Jones of Wise
Bates	Kelt
Beckworth	Kern
Bell	King
Blankenship	Knetsch
Boethel	Langdon
Bond	Lankford
Boyer	Lanning
Bradbury	Leath
Bradford	Lehman
Bridgers	Leonard
Broadfoot	Leyendecker
Brown	Loggins
Burton	London
Cagle	Lucas
Cathey	Mauritz
Cauthorn	Mays
Celaya	McConnell
Cleveland	McDonald
Colquitt	McKee
Davis of Haskell	Metcalfe
Davis of Jasper	Moffett
Davison of Fisher	Monkhouse
Davisson	Palmer
of Eastland	Patterson
Derden	of Travis
Dickison	Petsch
Dollins	Pope
Donaghey	Prescott
Farmer	Quinn
Felty	Reed of Bowie
Fox	Reed of Dallas
Hamilton	Rhodes
Hankamer	Roark
Hanna	Russell
Harbin	Rutta
Hardin	Schuenemann
Harper	Sewell
Harrell	Sharpe
Harris of Archer	Shell
Harris of Dallas	Skaggs
Harris of Dickens	Smith of Tarrant
Hartzog	Stinson
Heflin	Stocks
Herzik	Tarwater
Holland	Tennyson
Howard	Thornberry
Huddleston	Thornton
Hull	Waggoner
Hyder	Weldon
Jackson	Winfree
Johnson of Ellis	Wood
Jones of Angelina	Worley
Jones of Falls	

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Alexander	Gibson
Carssow	Graves
Dean	Hoskins
England	Johnson
Fielden	of Tarrant
Fuchs	Jones of Atascosa

Keefe	Powell
Keith	Ragsdale
Little	Reader
McKinney	Riddle
Morris	Ross
Morse	Simpson
Newton	Smith of Hopkins
Nicholson	Talbert
Oliver	Vale
Patterson of Mills	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

The Chair then laid House Bill No. 130 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—109

Adkins	Harrell
Alsup	Harris of Archer
Amos	Harris of Dallas
Anderson	Harris of Dickens
Baker	Hartzog
Bates	Heflin
Beckworth	Herzik
Bell	Holland
Blankenship	Howard
Boethel	Huddleston
Boyer	Hull
Bradbury	Hyder
Bradford	Jackson
Bridgers	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson
Brown	of Tarrant
Burton	Jones of Angelina
Cagle	Jones of Falls
Cauthorn	Jones of Wise
Celaya	Keefe
Cleveland	Kelt
Colquitt	Kern
Davis of Haskell	King
Davis of Jasper	Knetsch
Davison of Fisher	Langdon
Davison	Lankford
of Eastland	Lanning
Derden	Leath
Dickison	Lehman
Dollins	Leyendecker
Farmer	Little
Felty	Loggins
Fox	London
Hamilton	Lucas
Hankamer	Mauritz
Hanna	Mays
Harbin	McConnell
Hardin	McDonald
Harper	McKee

Metcalfe	Schuenemann
Moffett	Sewell
Monkhouse	Sharpe
Patterson of Mills	Skaggs
Patterson	Smith of Tarrant
of Travis	Stinson
Petsch	Stocks
Pope	Tarwater
Prescott	Tennyson
Quinn	Thornberry
Reed of Bowie	Thornton
Reed of Dallas	Waggoner
Rhodes	Weldon
Riddle	Westbrook
Roark	Winfree
Russell	Wood
Rutta	Worley

## Nays—2

Cathey	Donaghey
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## Absent

Alexander	Morse
Bond	Newton
Carssow	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
England	Palmer
Fielden	Powell
Fuchs	Ragsdale
Gibson	Reader
Graves	Ross
Hoskins	Settle
Jones of Atascosa	Simpson
Keith	Smith of Hopkins
Leonard	Talbert
McKinney	Vale
Morris	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Shell
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

(Speaker in the Chair.)

## HOUSE BILL NO. 135 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 135, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 3881, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 135 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Mauritz moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be sus-

pending, and that House Bill No. 135 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—114

Adkins	Kern
Alsup	King
Amos	Knetsch
Anderson	Langdon
Baker	Lankford
Bates	Lanning
Beckworth	Leath
Bell	Lehman
Blankenship	Leonard
Boethel	Leyendecker
Boyer	Little
Bradbury	Loggins
Bradford	London
Bridgers	Lucas
Broadfoot	Mauritz
Brown	Mays
Burton	McConnell
Cagle	McDonald
Carssow	McKee
Cathey	Metcalfe
Cauthorn	Moffett
Celaya	Monkhouse
Cleveland	Oliver
Colquitt	Palmer
Davis of Haskell	Patterson of Mills
Davis of Jasper	Patterson
Davison of Fisher	of Travis
Derden	Petsch
Dollins	Pope
Donaghey	Prescott
Farmer	Quinn
Felty	Ragsdale
Fox	Reed of Bowie
Hamilton	Reed of Dallas
Hankamer	Rhodes
Hanna	Riddle
Harbin	Roark
Hardin	Russell
Harper	Rutta
Harrell	Schuenemann
Harris of Dallas	Sewell
Harris of Dickens	Sharpe
Hartzog	Shell
Heflin	Skaggs
Herzik	Smith of Tarrant
Holland	Stinson
Howard	Stocks
Huddleston	Tarwater
Hull	Tennyson
Hyder	Thornberry
Jackson	Thornton
Johnson of Ellis	Vale
Johnson	Waggoner
of Tarrant	Weldon
Jones of Angelina	Westbrook
Jones of Falls	Winfree
Jones of Wise	Wood
Kelt	Worley

Absent

Alexander	Keefe
Bond	Keith
Davisson	McKinney
of Eastland	Morris
Dean	Morse
Dickison	Newton
England	Nicholson
Fielden	Powell
Fuchs	Reader
Gibson	Ross
Graves	Simpson
Harris of Archer	Smith of Hopkins
Hoskins	Talbert
Jones of Atascosa	

Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 135 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—115

Adkins	Donaghey
Alexander	Farmer
Alsup	Felty
Amos	Fox
Anderson	Fuchs
Baker	Gibson
Bates	Hamilton
Beckworth	Hankamer
Blankenship	Hanna
Boethel	Hardin
Bond	Harper
Boyer	Harrell
Bradbury	Harris of Archer
Bradford	Harris of Dallas
Bridgers	Harris of Dickens
Broadfoot	Hartzog
Brown	Heflin
Burton	Herzik
Cagle	Holland
Carssow	Howard
Cathey	Huddleston
Cauthorn	Hyder
Celaya	Jackson
Cleveland	Johnson of Ellis
Colquitt	Johnson
Davis of Haskell	of Tarrant
Davis of Jasper	Jones of Angelina
Davison of Fisher	Jones of Falls
Davisson	Jones of Wise
of Eastland	Kelt
Dean	Kern
Derden	King
Dollins	Knetsch

Langdon	Prescott
Lankford	Quinn
Lanning	Ragsdale
Leath	Reed of Dallas
Lehman	Rhodes
Leonard	Riddle
Leyendecker	Roark
Little	Russell
Loggins	Rutta
London	Sewell
Lucas	Sharpe
Mauritz	Skaggs
Mays	Smith of Tarrant
McConnell	Stinson
McDonald	Stocks
McKee	Tarwater
Metcalfe	Tennyson
Moffett	Thornberry
Monkhouse	Thornton
Oliver	Vale
Palmer	Waggoner
Patterson of Mills	Weldon
Patterson	Westbrook
of Travis	Winfree
Petsch	Wood
Pope	Worley

## Absent

Bell	Morse
Dickison	Newton
England	Nicholson
Fielden	Powell
Graves	Reader
Harbin	Reed of Bowie
Hoskins	Ross
Hull	Schuenemann
Jones of Atascosa	Shell
Keefe	Simpson
Keith	Smith of Hopkins
McKinney	Talbert
Morris	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

## HOUSE BILL NO. 140 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring it unlawful to take, hunt, or kill deer or wild turkey in Fannin County for a period of five years; prescribing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Loggins offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 140, by including "Polk County" to the provisions thereof and amend the caption to conform thereto.

The amendment was adopted.

House Bill No. 140 was then passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 140 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Broadfoot moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 140 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—108

Adkins	Heflin
Alsup	Herzik
Amos	Holland
Anderson	Hyder
Baker	Johnson of Ellis
Bates	Johnson
Beckworth	of Tarrant
Bell	Jones of Angelina
Blankenship	Jones of Falls
Boethel	Jones of Wise
Boyer	Kelt
Bradbury	Kern
Bradford	King
Bridgers	Knetsch
Broadfoot	Langdon
Burton	Lankford
Cagle	Lanning
Callan	Leath
Carssow	Lehman
Cathey	Leonard
Cauthorn	Leyendecker
Celaya	Little
Cleveland	Loggins
Colquitt	London
Davis of Haskell	Lucas
Davis of Jasper	Mann
Davison of Fisher	Mauritz
Davisson	Mays
of Eastland	McConnell
Dean	McDonald
Derden	McKee
Dollins	Metcalfe
Donaghey	Moffett
Felty	Monkhouse
Fox	Oliver
Fuchs	Patterson of Mills
Hamilton	Patterson
Harbin	of Travis
Hardin	Petsch
Harper	Pope
Harrell	Prescott
Harris of Dallas	Quinn
Harris of Dickens	Reed of Bowie
Hartzog	Reed of Dallas

Rhodes	Stocks
Riddle	Tarwater
Roark	Tennyson
Russell	Thornberry
Rutta	Thornton
Schuenemann	Vale
Sewell	Waggoner
Sharpe	Weldon
Shell	Westbrook
Skaggs	Winfree
Smith of Tarrant	Wood
Stinson	

## Absent

Alexander	Jones of Atascosa
Bond	Keefe
Brown	Keith
Dickison	McKinney
England	Morris
Farmer	Morse
Fielden	Newton
Gibson	Nicholson
Graves	Palmer
Hankamer	Powell
Hanna	Ragsdale
Harris of Archer	Reader
Hoskins	Ross
Howard	Simpson
Huddleston	Smith of Hopkins
Hull	Talbert
Jackson	Worley

## Absent—Excused

Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
McFarland	Stevenson
Settle	Tennant

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 140 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—111

Adkins	Cagle
Alsup	Cathey
Amos	Cauthorn
Anderson	Celaya
Baker	Cleveland
Bates	Colquitt
Beckworth	Davis of Haskell
Bell	Davis of Jasepr
Blankenship	Davison of Fisher
Boethel	Davison
Bond	of Eastland
Boyer	Dean
Bradbury	Derden
Bradford	Dickison
Bridgers	Dollins
Broadfoot	Donaghey
Brown	Farmer
Burton	Felty

Fox	McDonald
Fuchs	Metcalfe
Hamilton	Moffett
Hankamer	Monkhouse
Harbin	Oliver
Hardin	Palmer
Harrell	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Dallas	Patterson
Harris of Dickens	of Travis
Hartzog	Petsch
Heflin	Pope
Herzik	Prescott
Holland	Quinn
Huddleston	Reed of Bowie
Hyder	Reed of Dallas
Johnson of Ellis	Rhodes
Johnson	Riddle
of Tarrant	Roark
Jones of Angelina	Russell
Jones of Falls	Rutta
Jones of Wise	Schuenemann
Kelt	Sewell
Kern	Sharpe
King	Shell
Knetsch	Skaggs
Langdon	Smith of Tarrant
Lankford	Stinson
Lanning	Stocks
Leath	Tarwater
Lehman	Tennyson
Leonard	Thornberry
Leyendecker	Thornton
Little	Vale
Loggins	Waggoner
London	Weldon
Lucas	Westbrook
Mauritz	Winfree
Mays	Wood
McConnell	Worley

## Absent

Alexander	Keith
Carssow	McKee
England	McKinney
Fielden	Morris
Gibson	Morse
Graves	Newton
Hanna	Nicholson
Harper	Powell
Harris of Archer	Ragsdale
Hoskins	Reader
Howard	Ross
Hull	Simpson
Jackson	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Atascosa	Talbert
Keefe	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

HOUSE BILL NO. 144 ON SECOND  
READING

Mr. Leath moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 144 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—111

Adkins	Johnson
Alsup	of Tarrant
Amos	Jones of Angelina
Baker	Jones of Falls
Bates	Jones of Wise
Beckworth	Keefe
Bell	Kelt
Blankenship	Kern
Bond	King
Boyer	Knetsch
Bradbury	Langdon
Bradford	Lankford
Bridgers	Lanning
Broadfoot	Leath
Burton	Lehman
Cagle	Leonard
Carsow	Leyendecker
Cathey	Little
Cauthorn	Loggins
Celaya	Lucas
Colquitt	Mauritz
Davis of Haskell	Mays
Davis of Jasper	McConnell
Davisson	McDonald
of Eastland	McKee
Dean	Metcalfe
Derden	Moffett
Dickson	Oliver
Dollins	Palmer
Donaghey	Patterson of Mills
Farmer	Patterson
Felty	of Travis
Fielden	Petsch
Fox	Pope
Fuchs	Powell
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Harbin	Reed of Dallas
Hardin	Rhodes
Harper	Riddle
Harrell	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Heflin	Sewell
Herzik	Sharpe
Holland	Shell
Huddleston	Skaggs
Hyder	Smith of Tarrant
Johnson of Ellis	Stinson

Stocks  
Tarwater  
Tennyson  
Thornberry  
Thornton  
Vale

Waggoner  
Weldon  
Westbrook  
Winfree  
Wood  
Worley

## Absent

Alexander	Keith
Anderson	London
Boethel	McKinney
Brown	Monkhouse
Cleveland	Morris
Davison of Fisher	Morse
England	Newton
Gibson	Nicholson
Graves	Ragsdale
Harris of Archer	Reader
Hoskins	Ross
Howard	Simpson
Hull	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Talbert
Jones of Atascosa	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Deglandon	of Matagorda
Kenyon	Settle
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 10, Chapter 246, Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature of Texas, providing for the forfeiture of unlawful oil and unlawful oil products, the sale thereof and the disposition of the proceeds therefrom, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 144 ON THIRD  
READING

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 144 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Adkins	Blankenship
Alsup	Bond
Amos	Boyer
Baker	Bradbury
Bates	Bradford
Beckworth	Bridgers
Bell	Broadfoot

Brown	Lankford
Burton	Lanning
Cagle	Leath
Carssow	Lehman
Cathey	Leonard
Celaya	Leyendecker
Cleveland	Little
Colquitt	Loggins
Davis of Haskell	Lucas
Davis of Jasper	Mauritz
Davisson	Mays
of Eastland	McDonald
Dean	McKee
Derden	Metcalf
Dickison	Moffett
Dollins	Morris
Donaghey	Oliver
Farmer	Palmer
Felty	Patterson of Mills
Fielden	Pope
Fox	Powell
Fuchs	Prescott
Hamilton	Quinn
Hankamer	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Reed of Dallas
Harbin	Rhodes
Hardin	Riddle
Harper	Roark
Harrell	Russell
Harris of Dallas	Rutta
Hartzog	Schuenemann
Heflin	Sewell
Herzik	Sharpe
Holland	Shell
Howard	Smith of Tarrant
Huddleston	Stinson
Hull	Stocks
Hyder	Tarwater
Johnson of Ellis	Tennyson
Johnson	Thornton
of Tarrant	Vale
Jones of Falls	Waggoner
Keefe	Weldon
Kelt	Westbrook
Kern	Winfree
King	Wood
Knetsch	Worley
Langdon	

Nays—6

Cauthorn	Patterson
Jones of Angelina	of Travis
Jones of Wise	Skaggs
	Thornberry

Present—Not Voting

McConnell

Absent

Alexander	Graves
Anderson	Harris of Archer
Boethel	Harris of Dickens
Davison of Fisher	Hoskins
England	Jackson
Gibson	Jones of Atascosa

Keith	Petsch
London	Ragsdale
McKinney	Reader
Monkhouse	Ross
Morse	Simpson
Newton	Smith of Hopkins
Nicholson	Talbert

Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

# HOUSE BILL NO. 149 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Cauthorn moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 149 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

Mr. Dollins raised a point of order, on further consideration of House Bill No. 149, at this time, on the ground that the bill contains subject matter not submitted by the Governor.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

# HOUSE BILL NO. 150 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Kelt moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 150 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—116

Adkins	Cagle
Alsup	Carssow
Amos	Cathey
Anderson	Cauthorn
Baker	Celaya
Bates	Cleveland
Beckworth	Colquitt
Bell	Davis of Haskell
Blankenship	Davis of Jasper
Boethel	Davisson
Bond	of Eastland
Boyer	Dean
Bradbury	Derden
Bradford	Dickison
Bridgers	Dollins
Broadfoot	Donaghey
Brown	Farmer
Burton	Felty

Fielden	Mays
Fox	McConnell
Fuchs	McDonald
Hamilton	McKee
Hankamer	Metcalfe
Hanna	Moffett
Harbin	Monkhouse
Hardin	Morris
Harper	Morse
Harrell	Oliver
Harris of Archer	Palmer
Harris of Dallas	Patterson
Hartzog	of Travis
Heflin	Powell
Herzik	Prescott
Holland	Quinn
Howard	Reed of Bowie
Huddleston	Reed of Dallas
Hyder	Rhodes
Johnson of Ellis	Riddle
Johnson	Roark
of Tarrant	Russell
Jones of Angelina	Rutta
Jones of Atascosa	Schuenemann
Jones of Falls	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Sharpe
Keefe	Shell
Kelt	Skaggs
Kern	Stinson
King	Stocks
Knetsch	Tarwater
Langdon	Tennyson
Lankford	Thornberry
Lanning	Thornton
Leath	Vale
Lehman	Waggoner
Leonard	Westbrook
Leyendecker	Weldon
Little	Winfree
Loggins	Wood
Lucas	Worley
Mauritz	

## Absent

Alexander	Newton
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
England	Patterson of Mills
Gibson	Petsch
Graves	Pope
Harris of Dickens	Ragsdale
Hoskins	Reader
Hull	Ross
Jackson	Simpson
Keith	Smith of Hopkins
London	Smith of Tarrant
McKinney	Talbert

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act to constitute Frank Neal Drane and others, and his and their associates and successors, administrators, executors and trustees, and their successors, into a perpetual non-profit body corporate, to be known as and called 'Florence Adelia-Dorothy Anderson Drane Community Foundation, of Corsicana, Texas', referred to herein as Foundation, with its domicile in Navarro County, Texas, the purpose of which is to promote the well being of mankind primarily in Navarro County, Texas, but contingently elsewhere in Texas, by aiding benevolent, charitable religious and educational causes and institutions, and promoting national defense and world peace, etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 150 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 150 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—109

Adkins	Dean
Alsup	Derden
Amos	Dickison
Anderson	Dollins
Baker	Donaghey
Bates	Farmer
Beckworth	Fielden
Bell	Fox
Blankenship	Fuchs
Boethel	Hamilton
Bond	Hankamer
Boyer	Hanna
Bradbury	Harbin
Bradford	Hardin
Broadfoot	Harper
Brown	Harrell
Burton	Harris of Dallas
Cagle	Hartzog
Carssow	Heflin
Cathey	Herzik
Cauthorn	Holland
Celaya	Howard
Cleveland	Huddleston
Colquitt	Hyder
Davis of Haskell	Johnson of Ellis
Davis of Jasper	Johnson
Davisson	of Tarrant
of Eastland	Jones of Angelina

Jones of Falls	Patterson
Jones of Wise	of Travis
Keefe	Powell
Kelt	Prescott
Kern	Reed of Bowie
King	Reed of Dallas
Knetsch	Rhodes
Langdon	Riddle
Lankford	Roark
Lanning	Russell
Leath	Rutta
Lehman	Schuenemann
Leonard	Sewell
Leyendecker	Sharpe
Little	Shell
Lucas	Skaggs
Mauritz	Stinson
Mays	Stocks
McConnell	Tarwater
McDonald	Tennyson
McKee	Thornberry
Metcalfe	Thornton
Moffett	Vale
Monkhouse	Westbrook
Morris	Weldon
Morse	Winfree
Palmer	Wood
Patterson of Mills	Worley

## Absent

Alexander	McKinney
Bridgers	Newton
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
England	Oliver
Felty	Petsch
Gibson	Pope
Graves	Quinn
Harris of Archer	Ragsdale
Harris of Dickens	Reader
Hoskins	Ross
Hull	Simpson
Jackson	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Tarrant
Keith	Talbert
Loggins	Waggoner
London	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Settle
Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant

HOUSE BILL NO. 152 ON SECOND  
READING

Mr. McConnell moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 152 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—116

Adkins	Kelt
Alsup	Kern
Amos	King
Anderson	Knetsch
Baker	Langdon
Bates	Lankford
Beckworth	Lanning
Bell	Leath
Blankenship	Lehman
Boethel	Leonard
Bond	Leyendecker
Boyer	Little
Bradbury	Loggins
Bradford	London
Bridgers	Lucas
Broadfoot	Mann
Brown	Mauritz
Burton	Mays
Cagle	McConnell
Carssow	McDonald
Cathey	McKee
Cauthorn	Metcalfe
Celaya	Moffett
Cleveland	Monkhouse
Colquitt	Morris
Davis of Haskell	Morse
Davis of Jasper	Oliver
Davisson	Palmer
of Eastland	Patterson of Mills
Dean	Patterson
Dickison	of Travis
Dollins	Powell
Donaghey	Prescott
Farmer	Quinn
Felty	Reed of Bowie
Fielden	Reed of Dallas
Fox	Rhodes
Fuchs	Riddle
Hamilton	Roark
Hankame	Russell
Hanna	Rutta
Harbin	Schuenemann
Hardin	Sewell
Harper	Sharpe
Harrell	Shell
Harris of Archer	Skaggs
Harris of Dallas	Stinson
Hartzog	Stocks
Heflin	Tarwater
Herzik	Tennyson
Holland	Thornberry
Howard	Thornton
Hyder	Vale
Johnson of Ellis	Waggoner
Johnson	Westbrook
of Tarrant	Weldon
Jones of Angelina	Winfree
Jones of Falls	Wood
Jones of Wise	Worley
Keefe	

Absent	
Alexander	McKinney
Davison of Fisher	Newton
Derden	Nicholson
England	Petsch
Gibson	Pope
Graves	Ragsdale
Harris of Dickens	Reader
Hoskins	Ross
Huddleston	Simpson
Hull	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Atascosa	Talbert
Keith	

Absent—Excused	
Callan	Smith
Deglandon	of Matagorda
Kenyon	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 152, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and establishing Callahan County Road District Number Three in Callahan County, Texas, under Article III, Section 52 of the Constitution for the purpose of the construction, operation and maintenance of macadamized, graveled or paved roads or turnpikes, or in aid thereof; describing the territory included therein; making the district a body corporate with authority to sue and be sued; authorizing the district to issue bonds upon two-thirds vote of the qualified electors who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation voting at an election; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 152 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 152 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—115

Adkins	Bell
Alsup	Blankenship
Amos	Boethel
Anderson	Bond
Baker	Boyer
Bates	Bradbury
Beckworth	Bradford

Bridgers	Lehman
Broadfoot	Leonard
Brown	Leyendecker
Burton	Little
Cagle	Loggins
Carssow	London
Cathey	Lucas
Cauthorn	Mann
Cleveland	Mauritz
Colquitt	Mays
Davis of Haskell	McConnell
Davis of Jasper	McDonald
Davison of Fisher	McFarland
Davisson	McKee
of Eastland	Metcalfe
Dean	Moffett
Derden	Monkhouse
Dickison	Morris
Donaghey	Morse
Farmer	Oliver
Fox	Palmer
Fuchs	Patterson of Mills
Hamilton	Patterson
Hanna	of Travis
Harbin	Powell
Hardin	Prescott
Harper	Quinn
Harrell	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Archer	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Dallas	Rhodes
Hartzog	Riddle
Heflin	Roark
Herzik	Russell
Holland	Rutta
Hoskins	Schuenemann
Howard	Sewell
Hyder	Sharpe
Johnson of Ellis	Shell
Johnson	Skaggs
of Tarrant	Stinson
Jones of Angelina	Stocks
Jones of Falls	Tarwater
Jones of Wise	Tennyson
Keefe	Thornberry
Kelt	Thornton
Kern	Vale
King	Waggoner
Knetsch	Westbrook
Langdon	Weldon
Lankford	Winfree
Lanning	Wood
Leath	Worley

#### Absent

Alexander	Huddleston
Celaya	Hull
Dollins	Jackson
England	Jones of Atascosa
Felty	Keith
Fielden	McKinney
Gibson	Newton
Graves	Nicholson
Hankamer	Petsch
Harris of Dickens	Pope

Ragudale  
Reader  
Ross  
Simpson

Smith of Hopkins  
Smith of Tarrant  
Talbert

**Absent—Excused**

Callan  
Deglandon  
Kenyon  
Settle

Smith  
of Matagorda  
Stevenson  
Tennant

**HOUSE BILL NO. 119 ON SECOND  
READING**

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 119, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of House Bill No. 645, enacted by the Forty-fifth Legislature, at its Regular Session in 1937, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. London offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 119, page 1, by striking out the period after the word "use" in last line of unprinted bill and all words after the word "use" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "; provided the provisions of this Section shall not apply to such establishments, as described herein, that use electrically operated dishwashing and glasswashing machines that accomplish these purposes mechanically".

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 119 was then passed to engrossment.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 119 ON THIRD  
READING**

Mr. London moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 119 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

**Yeas—114**

Adkins  
Amos  
Anderson  
Baker  
Bates  
Beckworth

Bell  
Blankenship  
Boethel  
Bond  
Boyer  
Bradbury

Bradford  
Bridgers  
Broadfoot  
Brown  
Burton  
Cagle  
Callan  
Carssow  
Cathey  
Cauthorn  
Celaya  
Cleveland  
Colquitt  
Davis of Haskell  
Davis of Jasper  
Davisson  
of Eastland  
Derden  
Dickison  
Dollins  
Donaghey  
England  
Felty  
Fox  
Fuchs  
Hamilton  
Hankamer  
Hanna  
Harbin  
Hardin  
Harper  
Harrell  
Harris of Dallas  
Harris of Dickens  
Heflin  
Herzik  
Holland  
Hoskins  
Howard  
Huddleston  
Hyder  
Johnson of Ellis  
Jones of Angelina  
Jones of Falls  
Jones of Wise  
Keefe  
Kelt  
Kern  
King  
Knetsch  
Langdon  
Lankford

Lanning  
Leath  
Lehman  
Leonard  
Leyendecker  
Little  
Loggins  
London  
Lucas  
Mauritz  
Mays  
McConnell  
McDonald  
McKee  
Metcalf  
Moffett  
Monkhouse  
Morris  
Morse  
Palmer  
Patterson of Mills  
Patterson  
of Travis  
Powell  
Prescott  
Quinn  
Reed of Bowie  
Reed of Dallas  
Rhodes  
Riddle  
Roark  
Russell  
Rutta  
Schuenemann  
Sewell  
Sharpe  
Shell  
Skaggs  
Stinson  
Stocks  
Talbert  
Tarwater  
Tennyson  
Thornberry  
Thornton  
Vale  
Waggoner  
Weldon  
Westbrook  
Winfree  
Wood  
Worley

**Absent**

Alexander  
Alsup  
Davison of Fisher  
Dean  
Farmer  
Fielden  
Gibson  
Graves  
Harris of Archer  
Hartzog  
Hull

Jackson  
Johnson  
of Tarrant  
Jones of Atascosa  
Keith  
McKinney  
Newton  
Nicholson  
Oliver  
Petsch  
Pope

Ragsdale	Simpson
Reader	Smith of Hopkins
Ross	Smith of Tarrant

## Absent—Excused

Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Mann	Stevenson
McFarland	Tennant
Settle	

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 119 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—117

Adkins	Harris of Dickens
Alsup	Hartzog
Amos	Heflin
Anderson	Herzik
Baker	Holland
Bates	Hoskins
Beckworth	Howard
Bell	Huddleston
Blankenship	Hyder
Boethel	Johnson of Ellis
Bond	Jones of Angelina
Boyer	Jones of Falls
Bradbury	Jones of Wise
Bradford	Keefe
Bridgers	Kelt
Broadfoot	Kern
Brown	King
Burton	Knetsch
Cagle	Langdon
Carssow	Lankford
Cathey	Lanning
Cauthorn	Leath
Celaya	Lehman
Cleveland	Leonard
Colquitt	Leyendecker
Davis of Haskell	Little
Davis of Jasper	London
Davisson	Lucas
of Eastland	Mann
Derden	Mauritz
Dickison	Mays
Dollins	McConnell
Donaghey	McDonald
England	McFarland
Felty	McKee
Fox	Metcalfe
Fuchs	Moffett
Hamilton	Monkhouse
Hankamer	Morse
Hanna	Palmer
Harbin	Patterson of Mills
Hardin	Patterson
Harper	of Travis
Harrell	Pope
Harris of Archer	Powell
Harris of Dallas	Prescott

Quinn	Stocks
Reed of Bowie	Talbert
Reed of Dallas	Tarwater
Rhodes	Tennyson
Riddle	Thornberry
Roark	Thornton
Russell	Vale
Rutta	Waggoner
Schuenemann	Weldon
Sewell	Westbrook
Sharpe	Winfree
Shell	Wood
Skaggs	Worley
Stinson	

## Absent

Alexander	Loggins
Davison of Fisher	McKinney
Dean	Morris
Farmer	Newton
Fielden	Nicholson
Gibson	Oliver
Graves	Petsch
Hull	Ragsdale
Jackson	Reader
Johnson	Ross
of Tarrant	Simpson
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Hopkins
Keith	Smith of Tarrant

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Deglandon	of Matagorda
Kenyon	Stevenson
Settle	Tennant

## HOUSE BILL NO. 151 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Davisson of Eastland moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 151 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—117

Adkins	Broadfoot
Amos	Brown
Anderson	Burton
Baker	Cagle
Bates	Carssow
Beckworth	Cathey
Bell	Cauthorn
Blankenship	Celaya
Boethel	Cleveland
Bond	Colquitt
Boyer	Davis of Jasper
Bradbury	Davisson
Bradford	of Eastland
Bridgers	Derden

Dickison	Mann
Dollins	Mauritz
Donaghey	Mays
England	McConnell
Felty	McDonald
Fox	McFarland
Fuchs	McKee
Hamilton	Metcalfe
Hankamer	Moffett
Hanna	Monkhouse
Harbin	Morris
Hardin	Morse
Harper	Oliver
Harrell	Palmer
Harris of Archer	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Dallas	Pope
Harris of Dickens	Powell
Hartzog	Prescott
Heflin	Quinn
Herzik	Reed of Dallas
Holland	Rhodes
Hoskins	Riddle
Howard	Roark
Huddleston	Russell
Hyder	Rutta
Johnson of Ellis	Schuenemann
Johnson	Sewell
of Tarrant	Sharpe
Jones of Atascosa	Shell
Jones of Falls	Skaggs
Jones of Wise	Smith of Hopkins
Keefe	Smith of Tarrant
Kelt	Stinson
Kern	Stocks
King	Talbert
Knetsch	Tarwater
Langdon	Thornberry
Lankford	Thornton
Lanning	Vale
Leath	Waggoner
Lehman	Weldon
Leonard	Westbrook
Leyendecker	Winfree
Little	Wood
Loggins	Worley
Lucas	

## Nays—1

Reed of Bowie

## Absent

Alexander	London
Alsup	McKinney
Davis of Haskell	Newton
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
Dean	Patterson
Farmer	of Travis
Fielden	Petsch
Gibson	Ragsdale
Graves	Reader
Hull	Ross
Jackson	Simpson
Jones of Angelina	Tennyson
Keith	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Deglandon	of Matagorda
Kenyon	Stevenson
Settle	Tennant

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 151, A bill to be entitled "An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all waterworks system revenue refunding bonds and all sewer system revenue refunding bonds heretofore authorized, issued, exchanged and delivered by cities in Texas operating under the provisions of special charters and which refunding bonds have been heretofore validated and confirmed by a final decree of a United States District Court in Texas, and providing that such refunding bonds so authorized, issued, exchanged and delivered shall be and constitute valid and binding obligations upon the revenues of such systems, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 151 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 151 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—107

Adkins	Davis of Jasper
Amos	Davison
Anderson	of Eastland
Baker	Derden
Bates	Dickison
Beckworth	Dollins
Bell	Donaghey
Blankenship	Farmer
Boethel	Felty
Bond	Fox
Boyer	Fuchs
Bradbury	Hamilton
Bridgers	Hankamer
Broadfoot	Hanna
Brown	Harbin
Burton	Hardin
Cagle	Harper
Carssow	Harrell
Cathey	Harris of Archer
Cauthorn	Harris of Dallas
Celaya	Harris of Dickens
Cleveland	Heflin
Colquitt	Herzik
Davis of Haskell	Holland

Hoskins	Moffett
Howard	Monkhouse
Huddleston	Morris
Hyder	Palmer
Johnson of Ellis	Patterson of Mills
Johnson	Patterson
of Tarrant	of Travis
Jones of Angelina	Powell
Jones of Falls	Prescott
Jones of Wise	Quinn
Keefe	Reed of Dallas
Kelt	Rhodes
Kern	Riddle
King	Roark
Knetsch	Rutta
Langdon	Schuenemann
Lankford	Sewell
Lanning	Shell
Leath	Skaggs
Lehman	Smith of Hopkins
Leonard	Stocks
Leyendecker	Talbert
Little	Tarwater
Loggins	Thornberry
Lucas	Thornton
Mauritz	Vale
Mays	Weldon
McConnell	Westbrook
McDonald	Winfree
McKee	Wood
Metcalfe	Worley

## Nays—2

Reed of Bowie      Russell

## Absent

Alexander	McKinney
Alsup	Morse
Bradford	Newton
Davison of Fisher	Nicholson
Dean	Oliver
England	Petsch
Fielden	Pope
Gibson	Ragsdale
Graves	Reader
Hartzog	Ross
Hull	Sharpe
Jackson	Simpson
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Tarrant
Keith	Stinson
London	Tennyson
Mann	Waggoner
McFarland	

## Absent—Excused

Callan	Smith
Deglandon	of Matagorda
Kenyon	Stevenson
Settle	Tennant

## HOUSE BILL NO. 87 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7059, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by Acts of 1936 of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Third Called Session, page 2040, Chapter 495, Article 4, Section 2 and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith and providing that if any portion of said Act is unconstitutional or invalid that same shall not affect any other portion, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Jones of Wise offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 87, by striking out all of Section I and substituting therefor the following:

Section 1. That Article 7059, (Revised Civil Statutes of 1925) as amended by Acts, 1936, Forty-fourth Legislature, Third Called Session, page 2040, Chapter 495, Article 4, Section 2, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read hereafter, as follows:

"Article 7059. Telegraph Companies.

"(a) Each individual, company, corporation or association owning, operating, controlling or managing (any telegraph lines in this State, or owning, operating, controlling or managing) what is known as wireless telegraph stations, for the transmission of messages or aerograms and charging for the transmission of such messages or aerograms, shall make quarterly, on the first days of January, April, July, and October of each year, a report to the Comptroller under oath of the individual, or of the president, treasurer or superintendent of such companies, corporations or associations, showing the gross amount received from all business within this State during the preceding quarter, in the payment of telegraphic or aerographic charges, including the amount received on full rate messages and aerograms and half rate messages and aerograms, and from the lease or use of any wires or equipment within the State during said quarter, excepting all business transacted for and on behalf of the agencies of the United States Gov-

ernment for which rates are prescribed by the Postmaster General. Said individuals, companies, corporations and associations, at the time of making said report, shall pay to the Treasurer of this State an occupation tax for the quarter beginning on said date equal to two and three quarter per cent (2¾%) of said gross receipts, as shown by said report.

"(b) No city or other political subdivision of this State, by virtue of its taxing power, police power or otherwise shall impose an occupation tax or charge of any sort for the privilege of doing business upon any person, corporation or association required to pay an occupation tax under this Article, provided that nothing in this Article shall be construed to prohibit the collection of any tax now imposed by a franchise, and provided further that this Article shall not affect any contracts now in existence or hereafter made between a city and the holder of a franchise."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 87 was then passed to engrossment.

### HOUSE BILL NO. 87 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Jones of Wise moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 87 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—117

Adkins	Burton
Alsup	Cagle
Amos	Callan
Anderson	Carssow
Baker	Cathey
Bates	Cauthorn
Beckworth	Celaya
Bell	Cleveland
Blankenship	Colquitt
Boethel	Davis of Haskell
Bond	Davis of Jasper
Boyer	Davison of Fisher
Bradbury	Davison
Bradford	of Eastland
Bridgers	Derden
Brown	Dickison

Dollins	McConnell
Donaghey	McDonald
Farmer	McFarland
Felty	McKee
Fielden	Metcalfe
Fox	Moffett
Fuchs	Monkhouse
Hankamer	Morris
Hanna	Morse
Harbin	Oliver
Hardin	Palmer
Harris of Archer	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Dallas	Patterson
Harris of Dickens	of Travis
Heflin	Petsch
Herzik	Pope
Holland	Powell
Hoskins	Prescott
Huddleston	Quinn
Hull	Reed of Bowie
Hyder	Reed of Dallas
Johnson of Ellis	Rhodes
Johnson	Riddle
of Tarrant	Roark
Jones of Angelina	Russell
Jones of Falls	Rutta
Jones of Wise	Schuenemann
Keefe	Sewell
Kern	Sharpe
King	Shell
Knetsch	Skaggs
Langdon	Smith of Hopkins
Lankford	Stinson
Lanning	Stocks
Lehman	Talbert
Leonard	Tennyson
Leyendecker	Thornberry
Little	Thornton
Loggins	Vale
London	Waggoner
Lucas	Weldon
Mann	Winfree
Mauritz	Wood
Mays	Worley

Present—Not Voting

Westbrook

Absent

Alexander	Keith
Broadfoot	Kelt
Dean	Leath
England	McKinney
Gibson	Newton
Graves	Nicholson
Hamilton	Ragsdale
Harper	Reader
Harrell	Ross
Hartzog	Simpson
Howard	Smith of Tarrant
Jackson	Tarwater
Jones of Atascosa	

## Absent—Excused

Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Settle	Stevenson
	Tennant

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 87 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—112

Adkins	Hull
Alsup	Hyder
Amos	Johnson of Ellis
Anderson	Johnson
Baker	of Tarrant
Bates	Jones of Angelina
Beckworth	Jones of Falls
Bell	Jones of Wise
Blankenship	Keefe
Boethel	Kelt
Bond	Kern
Boyer	King
Bradbury	Knetsch
Bradford	Langdon
Bridgers	Lankford
Burton	Lanning
Cagle	Leonard
Callan	Leyendecker
Carssow	Little
Cathey	Loggins
Cauthorn	London
Celaya	Lucas
Cleveland	Mann
Colquitt	Mauritz
Davis of Haskell	Mays
Davison of Fisher	McConnell
Davisson	McDonald
of Eastland	McFarland
Derden	McKee
Dickison	Metcalfe
Dollins	Moffett
Donaghey	Monkhouse
Farmer	Morris
Felty	Morse
Fox	Palmer
Fuchs	Patterson of Mills
Hamilton	Patterson
Hankamer	of Travis
Hanna	Petsch
Harbin	Pope
Hardin	Powell
Harper	Prescott
Harris of Archer	Quinn
Harris of Dallas	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Dickens	Reed of Dallas
Hartzog	Rhodes
Heflin	Riddle
Herzik	Roark
Holland	Russell
Hoskins	Rutta
Huddleston	Schuenemann

Sewell  
Sharpe  
Stinson  
Stocks  
Talbert  
Thornberry  
Thornton

Vale  
Waggoner  
Weldon  
Winfree  
Wood  
Worley

## Nays—2

Brown

Westbrook

## Present—Not Voting

Skaggs

## Absent

Alexander	Lehman
Broadfoot	McKinney
Davis of Jasper	Newton
Dean	Nicholson
England	Oliver
Fielden	Ragsdale
Gibson	Reader
Graves	Ross
Harrell	Shell
Howard	Simpson
Jackson	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Atascosa	Smith of Tarrant
Keith	Tarwater
Leath	Tennyson

## Absent—Excused

Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Settle	Stevenson
	Tennant

## HOUSE BILL NO. 153 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Little moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 153 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—113

Adkins	Burton
Amos	Cagle
Anderson	Callan
Baker	Carssow
Bates	Cauthorn
Beckworth	Celaya
Bell	Cleveland
Blankenship	Colquitt
Boethel	Davis of Haskell
Boyer	Davis of Jasper
Bradbury	Davisson
Bradford	of Eastland
Bridgers	Derden
Brown	Dickison

Dollins	Mauritz
Donaghey	Mays
England	McConnell
Farmer	McDonald
Felty	McFarland
Fox	McKee
Fuchs	Metcalf
Hamilton	Moffett
Hankamer	Morris
Hanna	Oliver
Harbin	Palmer
Hardin	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Archer	Patterson
Harris of Dallas	of Travis
Harris of Dickens	Petsch
Hartzog	Pope
Heflin	Powell
Herzik	Prescott
Holland	Quinn
Hoskins	Reed of Bowie
Huddleston	Reed of Dallas
Hull	Rhodes
Hyder	Riddle
Johnson of Ellis	Roark
Johnson	Russell
of Tarrant	Rutta
Jones of Angelina	Schuenemann
Jones of Falls	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Shell
Keefe	Skaggs
Kelt	Stinson
Kern	Stocks
King	Talbert
Knetsch	Tarwater
Langdon	Tennyson
Lanning	Thornberry
Leath	Thornton
Lehman	Vale
Leonard	Waggoner
Leyendecker	Westbrook
Little	Weldon
Loggins	Winfree
Lucas	Wood
Mann	Worley

## Nays—1

Lankford

## Absent

Alexander	Keith
Alsup	London
Bond	McKinney
Broadfoot	Monkhouse
Cathey	Morse
Davison of Fisher	Newton
Dean	Nicholson
Fielden	Ragsdale
Gibson	Reader
Graves	Ross
Harper	Sharpe
Harrell	Simpson
Howard	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Smith of Tarrant
Jones of Atascosa	

## Absent—Excused

Deglandon	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Settle	Stevenson
	Tennant

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of Senate Bill No. 496, Chapter 168, Acts of the Legislature of Texas, passed at the Forty-fourth Regular Session of the Legislature of Texas, so as to authorize any city of more than 40,000 population, according to the last preceding Census, to codify and adopt a code of civil and criminal ordinances without the necessity of publication, providing for the taking effect of said code upon adoption, providing for the reception in evidence of such code when printed under the supervision of the governing body of said city and the effect of such admission in evidence, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 153 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 153 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed.

## INVITING CONGRESSMAN MARTIN DIES TO ADDRESS THE HOUSE

Mr. Quinn offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 45, Inviting Congressman Martin Dies to address the House.

Whereas, The Honorable Martin Dies, Representative of the Second Congressional District, is to be in Austin on Thursday, October 21st, 1937; and

Whereas, The Honorable Martin Dies has distinguished himself as a capable member of Congress; and

Whereas, He has been active in the interests of the people of Texas in legislation pending before the National body; and, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the Honorable Martin Dies be invited to address the House

on a subject of his own choosing at 10:30 a. m., Thursday, October 21st, 1937.

QUINN,  
DAVIS of Jasper,  
ROARK,  
McKEE,  
JONES of Angelina,  
WESTBROOK,  
OLIVER.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

ADDRESS BY MRS. DANNA W. LANGHORNE

Mr. Oliver offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 43, Inviting Mrs. Danna W. Langhorne to address the House.

Whereas, There is in the City of Austin at this time Mrs. Danna W. Langhorne of Timpson, Texas, who is a member of the Women's Division of the State Democratic Executive Committee; and

Whereas, Mrs. Langhorne is a very charming and forceful speaker; and

Whereas, She has a message of interest and importance, which might inspire the Membership of the Legislature; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That Mrs. Langhorne be invited to address the House of Representatives for a period of five minutes.

OLIVER,  
FARMER,  
SMITH of Tarrant,  
FIELDEN,  
AMOS.

The resolution was adopted.

Mrs. Langhorne having been escorted to the Speaker's stand by Messrs. Oliver, Farmer and Davison of Fisher, Speaker Calvert presented Mr. Oliver, who introduced Mrs. Langhorne.

Mrs. Langhorne then addressed the House.

On motion of Mr. Oliver, the address of Mrs. Danna W. Langhorne, in addressing the House, was ordered printed in the Journal, as follows:

"I want to thank you for the honor you have extended me today, and at the opening of the Senate, which unfortunately, I was unable to accept. This is the first opportunity a member of the Woman's Division of the Texas Democratic Party has had to officially thank this Honored Body

for their support in passing the 50-50 bill last session.

This bill means everything to the women of the State of Texas. We are determined to live up to your confidence in us, and to take an active part in the development of Democratic ideals in this great State.

Throughout the entire land, women are taking an active part in the operation of government, and gaining recognition as leaders in all fields of endeavor. Their lack of interest, and lack of knowledge in the real issue of the day, up to now has proven a handicap. The education of the women, and the stimulation of their interest in the affairs of the day, is the aim of the Woman's Division of the Democratic Party.

There is no good cause in the world today that does not need the help of educated and intelligent women. Civilization has paused, waiting for them. The dangers that menace their children—dangers from bad movies, poor traffic regulations, crowded school-rooms and poorly trained teachers, unscrupulous politicians, and bad laws—these dangers can be lessened, and in many instances entirely destroyed, by an active interest from the educated woman.

The world needs women who are pioneers, who are colonists, who are pilgrims still, in whose veins flow the same blood as those intrepid women who braved the forces of nature to help build what we have here. But today women are prone to sit placidly by, enjoying the partial security made possible by the sacrifice and suffering of our grandmothers and great-grandmothers. They fail to realize that there are frontiers yet to be conquered, adventures yet to be found. Someone must lead civilization from the jungle into which it has fallen. The wild beasts of War, Strikes, Gangsters, Slums, and illiteracy stalk the human race.

No woman in the United States, who loves her home, her family, and her social relations, can afford to be idle if we are to emerge from the perilous conditions that now confront us—still a democracy. That so many of them simply withdraw from the struggle going on about them, bartering temporary security for the future of Democracy, is one reason why so many of the great problems of today are unsolved. I am not a politician. I am only interested in politics when it touches the people I love—my fam-

ily, my friends, and the women of Texas. If more women saw politics as an enlargement of their own lives, capable of bringing them many deep and lasting satisfactions—then indeed the world would be a better place in which to live and rear their children.

There are many people who believe the woman has no place in the operations of government. They loudly and blatantly decry—'petticoat government.' But you men, who are familiar with such things, realize of course, that women quit wearing petticoats many years ago. The petticoat went the way of the red flannel. The women of the State have no desire to take the jobs away from the men. We only want to put our shoulder to the wheel and help push, we want to experience the troubles, the success and failures, the heart-breaks and moments of triumphs, that come with honest and unceasing toil. God placed woman upon earth to be man's helpmate. We are only asking that we be given the place in life which He, in His wisdom, intended that we should have.

The purpose of the Woman's Division is to stimulate a much-needed interest on the part of the women, and arouse them from their state of apathy and indifference. I have been assigned, like many others, to help arouse the women of Texas to their responsibility. I am State Director of the Four Year Educational Program and Head of the Speakers Bureau, sponsored by the National Democratic Committee. One of the means by which this program can be accomplished is by getting a subscription to the Democratic Digest in every county and precinct in Texas. This is the official magazine of the National Democratic Committee. There are 254 counties and 6686 precincts in our State. The placing of a subscription in each of these is a stupendous task, impossible without the help of those who stand at the helm of our party's ship.

This magazine contains no hints on how to give your husband indigestion. It has no recipes for ice-box cookies. It does not tell how to make a meat loaf from yesterday's roast, or the best methods of making cucumber pickles. This information is supplied freely to the women by the National Advertisers. It is not the place of the Democratic Party to teach the women how to cook. It is, however, the place of the Democratic Party to

dispel proper information—information that is vital to every person in the nation. It is the instrument by which we can be well informed on the issues of the day. We hope to have, by next election, 150,000 members in the Women's Division. The task of gaining that number will be lessened by aid from you in dispelling correct information to all the women in your districts.

You can help greatly by aiding us in getting the Democratic Digest to the Women of the State. You can do this by giving us a blanket subscription and a list of names to whom you wish them sent. An organization of Women, 150,000 strong, can be a powerful force for good. The Women, thus organized, can take their rightful place in the affairs of this State. They can stand side by side with their men, facing together the problems distressing our people."

#### RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled resolution:

S. C. R. No. 5, To authorize the loan of certain highway equipment.

#### ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Harris of Archer, the House, at 5:10 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

#### APPENDIX

#### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills and resolutions, as follows:

Appropriations: House Bill No. 146.

Counties: House Bills Nos. 12, 141, 148 and 150; Senate Bills Nos. 9, 12 and 24.

Game and Fisheries: House Bills Nos. 140 and 149.

Revenue and Taxation: House Bill No. 144.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bill No. 152.

Judiciary: House Bill No. 129.

Municipal and Private Corporations: House Bills Nos. 151 and 153.

Public Lands and Buildings: Senate Bill No. 13.

State Affairs: House Bill No. 83; House Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23; 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 40, 41, 44 and 45; Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4.

#### REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that in all counties having a population according to the last preceding Federal Census of more than 325,000 and less than 350,000, and having two or more Criminal District Courts, the Deputy District Clerks serving in each of the said Criminal District Courts shall be appointed by the regularly elected Judge of said Court; providing for the salaries to be paid such Deputy District Clerks; designating the authority that each is to have; specifying the fund from which the Clerk's salaries are to be paid; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing for things necessary, incidental and pertinent hereto, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 62, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing, consenting to and granting permission to John Wiese, Lonnie Wiese and Tom Wiese to sue the State of Texas or Highway Department for damage to their land, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 97, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing House Bill No.

809, Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, 1937, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 111, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 23, Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Forty-third Legislature; providing that it should be lawful to use one dog for the purpose of hunting, pursuing and taking of deer in Jefferson, and Orange Counties, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 116, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that a County Auditor may be appointed in any county having a population of not less than twenty thousand one hundred (20,100) nor more than twenty thousand one hundred and fifty (20,150) according to the last preceding Federal Census and having a taxable value of less than Fifteen Million (\$15,000,000.00) Dollars, according to the last approved tax roll; providing that Commissioners' Court in such county may by order determine the necessity for such office as well as by order may discontinue such office; providing compensation and the fund from which it shall be paid, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 123, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section I of House Bill No. 659, Acts of the Forty-fifth

Legislature, Regular Session, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate school districts attempted to be established by the annexation or joining of a part of a county line common school district to a contiguous school district after an election held in said common school district to divide it and/or annex or join a part or parts thereof to a contiguous district or districts whether by order of a county board of school trustees or a County Commissioners Court where said election resulted favorably to division and/or annexation or joining and said order of annexation or joining was in accordance with the terms of the order calling said election pertaining to said division and/or annexation, and where said order was made by county board or Commissioners Court of a county containing a part of said county line common school district, and in addition thereto a part or all of the district to which a part of said county line common school district was annexed or joined; . . . etc., and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 143, A bill to be entitled "An Act permitting the City Council of any city and town in this State and the trustees of independent school districts to fix the compensation of the tax assessors and collectors in said cities, towns, and independent school districts in counties with a population of not less than forty-three thousand and thirty (43,030) and not more than forty-three thousand and forty (43,040), according to the last Federal Census; repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 138, A bill to be entitled, "An Act providing an open season when it shall be lawful to hunt, take, or kill squirrels in Montgomery County, Texas; providing a bag limit; fixing a penalty for the violation hereof; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 136, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 5142 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended by House Bill No. 146 of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature; providing for juvenile officers; providing for their selection, compensation, expenses, and prescribing their duties; providing for their assistants; providing all things necessary and incident to the main purpose of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 132, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that in counties having a population of forty thousand, nine hundred and five (40,905) and not more than forty thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five (40,925), according to the last preceding Federal Census, the County Judge may appoint a court stenographer to be called and known as the official county court reporter of the County Court; to define and prescribe the duties of such court reporter, and fix the compensation and tenure of office; prescribing the fund from which the salary is to be paid, and prescribing the taxing of costs in civil suits in

which answer is filed, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 137, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing a special fishing license for those who fish in the waters of Medina Lake; providing for deposit of funds from the sale of such licenses and of any funds collected as fees or penalties for violations of this Act in the Medina Lake Fund; providing the uses of such fund and regulations controlling same; providing for the appointment of a Medina Lake Advisory Board and prescribing the manner of its appointment and its duties; providing a penalty for violation of any provision of this Act; repealing all laws, in so far as they conflict with this Act, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 126, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring any person using any trap or similar device to take any of the birds or animals of this State, upon the private lands of another person in Van Zandt County, to first obtain and have in his possession a written permit; providing other necessary regulations pertaining to the obtaining of such permit; providing that the failure to have in possession such valid permit shall be prima facie evidence of guilt; providing a suitable penalty for violation of any provisions of this Act; providing that it shall be the duty of any peace officer operating in any county affected by the provisions of this Act to enforce the provisions of this Act and repealing all laws in conflict with any provisions of this Act, in so far as they relate to Van Zandt County."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 121, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 18, 20 and 24 of Article 2997a of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and being Chapter 33 of the General and Special Laws of the Forty-first Legislature, Fourth Called Session, by providing that the commissioners' court of any county in the State of Texas may adopt for use in elections and primary elections in at least three of the larger voting precincts in voting strength in said county any kind of voting machine approved by the Secretary of State and may adopt said voting machines at any time for use in such additional voting precincts in the county as it may deem advisable, and thereupon such voting machines shall be used at any and all elections and primary elections, municipal, county, district or State; and all school and bond elections; providing for the payment of voting machines in such county; providing that such commissioners' court is authorized to issue bonds, certificates of indebtedness, or other obligations to be used for the purpose of paying for voting machines; providing that such bond, certificates of indebtedness, or other obligations, may be issued with or without interest, payable at such time or times, as the commissioners' court may determine but shall never be issued nor sold for less than par; providing that the necessary tax shall be set aside at the time of creating such obligations so as to meet the debt provisions of the Constitution; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 114, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 880 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas making it lawful to use a dog in the

hunting of or pursuing of or taking of any deer in Tyler County."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the amount that may be allowed by County Boards of Trustees to the County Superintendents of Public Instruction for expenditures for office and traveling expenses in certain counties according to the last preceding Federal Census; making this Act cumulative of all General Laws on the same subject, such General Laws to apply except in case of conflict when the provisions of this Act shall control, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 108, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing House Bill No. 246, Acts of the Forty-fifth Legislature, Regular Session, 1937, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 109, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide an open season when it shall be lawful to hunt, take, kill and possess wild buck deer in Montgomery County, Texas; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide a more adequate and equitable salary for the County Superintendents of Public Instruction in certain counties, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 73, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating, ratifying and confirming all bond issues heretofore voted and issued, or which have been voted and not yet issued, of all common school districts, common consolidated school districts, rural high school districts and independent school districts, regardless of whether said bonds mature in serial annual installments or not, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 98, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 12 of Chapter 59, of the Acts of the Thirty-ninth Legislature, so as to provide that in certain counties having a population according to the last preceding Federal Census of not less than eight thousand five hundred (8,500) and not more than eight thousand seven hundred (8,700) Rural High School Districts formed by the grouping of common school districts shall not have the authority to appoint a tax assessor, board of equalization nor tax collector, providing for an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 107, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act to declare a closed season  
on the killing of quail in Haskell  
County for a period ending Febru-  
ary 1, 1940, prescribing a penalty,  
and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and  
finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 49, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act empowering and authoriz-  
ing cities and towns in the State of  
Texas having a population in excess  
of 230,000 and not more than 250,000,  
according to the last preceding or any  
future Federal Census, to enact ordi-  
nances authorizing City and Town As-  
sessors, or Assessors and Collectors  
to prescribe such assessment forms,  
lists, or statements for rendering  
property as will also serve as a tax  
roll without the necessity of recom-  
piling such tax roll from the original  
assessment roll; authorizing the bind-  
ing of such assessment, forms, lists  
or statements and combination tax  
roll, regardless of whether rendered  
or unrendered, into one roll in alpha-  
betical order, providing a saving  
clause, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and  
finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 131, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act making an appropriation of  
the sum of Forty Thousand (\$40,-  
000.00) Dollars or so much thereof  
as may be necessary, out of funds in  
the State Treasury, not otherwise ap-  
propriated, to pay contingent ex-  
penses, and to pay mileage and per  
diem of Members and per diem of  
officers and employees of the Second  
Called Session of the Forty-fifth

Legislature, and declaring an emer-  
gency."

Has carefully compared same and  
finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 61, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act fixing the compensation of  
County Auditors in certain counties,  
and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and  
finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 124, A bill to be entitled  
"An Act to amend Article 4180 of the  
Revised Civil Statutes of the State  
of Texas, 1925, Acts, 1937, Forty-fifth  
Legislature, Senate Bill No. 84, Sec-  
tion 1, relating to the investment of  
surplus funds of ward or wards in  
the hands of guardians or the lending  
of same, designating certain invest-  
ments that may be made, so as to pro-  
vide for the purchase by a guardian  
of bonds of any county, or any dis-  
trict or subdivision in Texas, or of  
any incorporated city or town in  
Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and  
finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

#### REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled  
Bills, to whom was referred

"H. B. No. 60, An Act providing  
that in certain counties convicts, either  
laying their fines out in jail or work-  
ing such fines out on the county farm,  
county roads, or other public works,  
shall receive a credit therefor of One  
(\$1.00) Dollar per day for each day

worked or spent in jail, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, October 19, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 96, "An Act amending Article 199, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 4, Section 1, page 6, Acts of the Regular Session of the Thirty-ninth Legislature; providing for change in duration of term of court in the Fifty-second Judicial District; fixing the time of taking effect of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

#### BILLS SENT TO THE GOVERNOR

October 20, 1937

House Bill No. 60.

House Bill No. 96.

#### SIXTEENTH DAY

(Thursday, October 21, 1937)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Calvert.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker	Cagle
Adkins	Callan
Alexander	Carssow
Alsup	Cathey
Amos	Cauthorn
Anderson	Celaya
Baker	Cleveland
Bates	Colquitt
Beckworth	Davis of Haskell
Bell	Davis of Jasper
Blankenship	Davison of Fisher
Boethel	Davisson
Bond	of Eastland
Boyer	Dean
Bradbury	Derden
Bradford	Dickison
Bridgers	Dollins
Broadfoot	Donaghey
Brown	England
Burton	Farmer

Felty	McFarland
Fielden	McKee
Fox	McKinney
Fuchs	Metcalfe
Graves	Moffett
Hamilton	Monkhouse
Hankamer	Morris
Hanna	Morse
Harbin	Nicholson
Harper	Oliver
Hardin	Palmer
Harrell	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Archer	Patterson
Harris of Dallas	of Travis
Harris of Dickens	Petsch
Hartzog	Pope
Heflin	Powell
Herzik	Prescott
Holland	Quinn
Hoskins	Ragsdale
Howard	Reader
Huddleston	Reed of Bowie
Hull	Reed of Dallas
Hyder	Rhodes
Jackson	Riddle
Johnson of Ellis	Roark
Johnson	Ross
of Tarrant	Russell
Jones of Angelina	Rutta
Jones of Atascosa	Schuenemann
Jones of Falls	Sewell
Jones of Wise	Sharpe
Keefe	Shell
Kelt	Simpson
Kern	Skaggs
King	Smith of Hopkins
Knetsch	Smith of Tarrant
Langdon	Stinson
Lankford	Stocks
Lanning	Talbert
Leath	Tarwater
Lehman	Tennant
Leonard	Tennyson
Leyendecker	Thornberry
Little	Thornton
Loggins	Vale
London	Waggoner
Lucas	Weldon
Mann	Westbrook
Mauritz	Winfree
Mays	Wood
McConnell	Worley
McDonald	

Absent

Absent—Excused

Deglandon	Settle
Gibson	Smith
Kenyon	of Matagorda
Newton	Stevenson

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain.